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GERMAN PARLIAMENT APPROVES LOCARNO PACT

Half Million Cut in Income Tax Proposed

Budget Also Provides for Reduction in Personal Property Toll "To Business Adversely Affected"

Over-Expenditure For Year Is Shown

Loan Bills Include \$2,000,000 for University and \$2,500,000 for Roads, Etc.—Debt Increases

REDUCTIONS in Income Tax, and pending further investigation and introduction of a substitute tax, a ten per cent reduction by personal property tax to business adversely affected by the incidence of the law, were announced in the budget speech of Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Finance, yesterday.

Other features of the budget include an estimate that the budget totalizing \$4,500,000 would be submitted to the present session of the Legislature, of which amount \$2,000,000 is for the university, and the balance for roads, land settlement and Soldiers' Land Act.

A proposal to increase the tax on business and incomes of more than \$20,000 from ten per cent to eight per cent; on incomes to \$3,000 the tax will be fixed at one per cent, and on incomes to \$4,000 at two per cent; while each section of businessmen, and incomes from investments are to obtain relief, the reductions are to be limited.

The gross debt of the Province at November 1, was placed at \$74,888,249. From this a reduction of \$1,000,000 was made on December 1, of \$3,130,000, through the redemption of debentures from sinking funds.

Sinking Fund Enormous

The sinking fund total was given as \$16,625,078.2, being an increase of \$1,625,473.5, from that last year. The Province's Minister said, has surplus sinking funds of \$1,142,659.42 over theoretical requirements.

The Province collected \$2,728,484.28 within municipal limits and returned them by way of grants, \$4,026,615.21, or \$306,148.43 more than collected within organized areas. It was announced.

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Dead at Montreal

MONTREAL, Nov. 26.—Mrs. Helen McNaughton, widow of the late venerable Archdeacon McNaughton, D.C.L., for thirty-eight years rector of Grace Church at Brantford, Ont., is dead here.

Sympathy Sent King

VANCOUVER, Nov. 26.—A message of condolence on account of the death of Queen Alexandra was today sent to His Majesty King George by the Vancouver Board of Trade.

Free State Approves Compulsory Teaching Of Irish in Schools

DUBLIN, Nov. 26.—The Dail Eireann approved by fifty-three votes to twenty-three today the educational policy of Professor John MacNeill, who had just resigned as Minister of Education. The main feature of the MacNeill policy was teaching of the Irish language compulsorily in all the primary schools.

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Friday, November 27
53rd Day, 1925

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and warm.

Sun Rises: 7:30 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 4:34 o'clock.
High Tide: 12:12 p.m., 8.1 feet.
Low Tide: 7:52 p.m., 3.1 feet.

Deep Sea Shipping

Arrival—8. Toshida Maru, No. 1, from Yokohama, 8 a.m.

The News

Local and Provincial—Budget is brought down in legislature.

Ever-increasing prosperity in B.C. seen by Minister of Finance in review of industrial and commercial conditions in Province. Members of Washington State Legislature are present at session of B.C. House.

Committee of fisheries and game of Island urged by Mr. H. B. Thompson before Forum meeting of Chamber of Commerce.

B.C. Telco. has a plan extension of Island lines to Messias Bay.

Domestic, Imperial and Foreign—C. I. C. to build three new liners for Atlantic service.

British prosecution of Communists brings criticism of government.

Queen Mother's return from Sandringham to London.

German parliament adopts Locarno treaty.

France again asks M. Briand to form cabinet.

Death Calls Siamese Monarch From Throne



RAMA VI

King of Siam, who died at Bangkok yesterday.

New Monarch Mounts Throne In Siam Capital

Prince Dipik Proclaimed King in Succession to Rama VI, Able Ruler, Now Dead

VANCOUVER, Nov. 26.—His Royal Highness Prince Dipik of Sukhothai, who died here yesterday, was proclaimed King of Siam in succession to King Rama VI, whose death occurred this morning, according to information cable to William W. Armstrong, consular representative of Siam in this country, by Prince Traidao, Siam's Minister for Foreign Affairs. The new monarch was educated in England.

An Able Monarch

BANGKOK, Siam, Nov. 26.—Rama VI, King of Siam, who died here yesterday, was known as an able and enlightened monarch, and much of the progress of Siam in the last fifteen years. The new monarch, Prince Dipik, will bring in western advance in many phases of government, revised the laws and encouraged progress in medicine and hygiene.

One of his most radical reforms was the abolition of the harem by the royal household. His father, Rama

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Score Drowned In Terrific Europe Storm

Small Craft Wrecked—Wireless Towers Crash—Wind Flattens Waves—Gale Amazes Mariners

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Along the North Sea coasts of England and the continent numerous fishing boats and other small craft were wrecked with the loss of a man or more of lives yesterday as storms which set in at dawn arrived at London on ships caked with frozen spray to their funnel tops, described as the worst in their experience.

Reports from the northern European countries indicate widespread damage. Three high wireless towers, built in Denmark, have collapsed, while in Denmark the storm forced the King to change his route to London for the funeral of Queen Mother Alexandra, disorganized traffic generally and severed communications.

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Two-Minute Silence Arranged

WINNIPEG, Nov. 26.—Joining in the two-minute silence for the Queen Alexandra, Winnipeg tomorrow will observe a two-minute silence period, heralded by boom of cannon at the Provincial Legislative grounds.

Members of the Bracken cabinet, the Mayor and members of the City Council with the permanent militia will parade to the Parliament Buildings, where a brief service will be held in memory of the beloved Queen Mother.

Ottawa Mourning

OTTAWA, Nov. 26.—His Excellency Lord Byng of Vimy has decided the period of mourning for her late Majesty Queen Alexandra, to be observed at Government House, will be one month from November 20 to December 17 inclusive, half mourning from December 14 to December 30 inclusive.

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Young Chinese Stowaways Found Hiding in Coffins

HONOLULU, Nov. 26.—Working on information received from special agents in the Orient, a party of six immigration officers searched the Delta liner President Lincoln as she docked here today, and discovered eleven young Chinese hiding in as many coffins.

Express Companies Lower Tariff for Winter Shipments From Coast to Prairies

VANCOUVER, Nov. 26.—British Columbia's four express companies move to the prairie provinces this winter under unusually low express rates, reduction in the rates having been announced, to become effective December 1. It was learned here today.

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Brief Earth Tremor Shakes Bellingham

BEIJINGHUNG, Wash., Nov. 26.—An earthquake, which was noticeable throughout the entire city but which did no damage, was felt after 1:30 p.m. today. The quake lasted about three seconds.

Man Takes Own Life Could Not Take Own Joke

MUNICH, Nov. 26.—An Italian merchant living in Munich recently won \$125,000 as first prize in a lottery, but today soon after receiving news of his winning, he committed suicide.

When he went to tell him as a joke, he signed a statement before witnesses that in case he should win, he would give half the prize to the Society of Munich Chimney Sweeps, and the rest of it to the breweries.

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Queen Makes Last Journey Into London

Royal Coffin Removed With Simple Ceremony From Sandringham to Metropolis—Service Tomorrow

King and Princes Walk Through Snow

Quiet Entry Made Into Capital—Route Kept Secret in Deference to Wishes of Royal Family

Fish and Game of the Island Should Be Conserved, Says Mr. H. B. Thomson, at Chamber Meeting

Recommends Cattle Market as Desirable

Former Food Controller Is Forum Orator

Yesterdays Of 2 Nations Meet in City

Visitors From Washington State Attend Session of B.C. House and Hear the Budget Speech

Dignity Impresses U.S. Lawmakers

Hon. J. D. MacLean Complimented by Leader on His Presentation of Financial Statement

ESTERDAY saw history made in British Columbia. Yesterday, for the first time in the history of Canada, the United States, Legislatures representing each country met together in harmonious whole, and by their meeting, demonstrated the reason why the 3,000 miles of Canada-United States boundary is unguarded by a single fort, a single gun.

The visitors, members of the Legislature of the State of Washington, U.S.A., led by Hon. W. L. Johnson, Lieutenant-Governor of that unit of the great Union to the South, arrived in the Capital City of British Columbia shortly after 1 o'clock by boat from Seattle. At 2 o'clock, when the British Columbia Legislature opened its daily session, they were seated in the galleries; the Washington State Speaker, Hon. James Johnson, and Mrs. Johnson, and Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay, of Victoria, who read the opening prayer, being placed beside Mr. G. B. Read, of the British Columbia House. Each session was a curious and intensely interesting in the procedure of Parliament as conducted in a British country under the system as long followed at Westminster, London, the mother of Parliaments.

His subject was selected owing to the interest in Pacific trade, which he had shown in the recent meetings of commercial representatives of all parts of Canada at Winnipeg, and was termed "Port Development."

Mr. Thomson dealt first with Imperial trade question, and eventually with some of the issues before the Island and its agricultural problems.

Discussing the question of Imperial trade, Mr. Thomson said the British Dominions must look to Britain for the ultimate expansion of their overseas and export business. He argued that Imperial trade was closely bound up with the problem of land settlement.

Pointing figures to show that the trade of the British Dominions represented twice as much per capita as the trade of foreign countries to the British themselves, he pointed out that the argument of General Smuts at the last Imperial Economic Conference was sound that the Mother Country must give up to the Empire the greater part of the produce of the Dominions. It followed with this question of Imperial preference. They knew today that the British Empire was self-supporting. Why not keep trade in the family? (Applause.)

Tribute to Mr. Wade

Trade of the Empire had been steadily growing. He paid a tribute

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Company Will Sell Older Vessels and Replace Them With Modern Liners, Announces President Beatty

MONTREAL, Nov. 26.—The Canadian Pacific Steamships contemplates building three liners to replace older vessels taken off the Canadian service this summer, such as the Marlow, Burnside and Montrose, President E. W. Beatty, told the Canadian Press.

The three latter ships will be sold and the new boats will likely be similar to the Montrouge and Montclare. The former would be brought before the directorate at a later date, when the details would be worked out, Mr. Beatty said.

When making the announcement, president Beatty declared for "assisted passages for immigrants," saying:

"It is amazing that people do not see below the surface of this problem. This country cannot prosper while it lacks settlers, and until the Dominion obtains the requisite number conditions will not improve as they should."

The solution was to "put our hands in our own pockets to help those people."

Final Figures in Doubtful Riding Reveals Conservative Thirty-Seven Votes Behind

GILANDE PLAIN, Alta., Nov. 26.—The final summing up of the vote cast in the recent Federal election for the constituency of Peace River was held today. D. M. Kennedy, Progressive, being elected with a majority of thirty-seven votes over J. A. Collins, Conservative.

The count at Brule, Alta., in the Edson mining district, has been disrupted by Collins, who has asked for a recount.

The final result in Peace River

came as a surprise, as Collins rolled up a majority of more than 200 and held it for several days.

TORONTO, Nov. 26.—The announcement tonight that D. M. Kennedy, Progressive, was elected in Peace River, was a surprise, as he had been beaten in the previous election.

Mr. Webb, Progressive, was elected in the constituency of Alberta, and Mr. Webb, Progressive, was elected in the constituency of Peace River.

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Sale price, up 59c from	Dainty in design and very well guaranteed. Regn. for 12s. Sale \$1.65
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Most Housewives Use MAGIC BAKING POWDER	
A DEPOSIT WILL SECURE YOUR PURCHASE	MADE IN CANADA E. WILLETT LTD. TORONTO, ONTARIO
Mitchell & Duncan, Ltd.	It assures Better Baking
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Mining Committee Elects Its Officers

The Mining Committee of the Legislature has been organised for the session. Mr. H. F. Kergin, Atlin, has been chosen president and Mr. C. S. Leary, Kaslo-Slocan, secretary.

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B.C. Sugar, 20 lbs. 12c	New Caledonian Caramels, 2 lbs. 25c
Brown Sugar, per lb. 6c	French Glace Cherries, lb. 39c

Sun Maid Raisins, seeded or seedless, 15-oz. cartons 13c	
Pine Nut Sun-Maid Seedless Raisins, in bulk, 2 lbs. for 25c	

Sliced Pineapple, reg. 20c tins, 14c	Shelled Walnuts (pieces), lb. 37c
Empress Jelly Powders, 4 for 25c	Libby's Asparagus Tips, tin 20c
Empress Pineapple Marmalade, reg. 45c tins 36c	Clark's Assorted Soups, tin 15c

Climax Vanilla Flavoring, full strength, 8-oz. bottles 40c	Large Prunes, reg. 18c lb. 15c
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Lea & Perrins' Sauce, reg. 75c bottles 55c	
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Rogers' Syrup, 5-lb. tins 35c	Pacific Milk, large tins 11c
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Fresh-Made Mixed Fancy Biscuits, lb. 25c, or 2 lbs. 45c	
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Fletcher's Choice Back Bacon, half or half piece, per lb. 39c	New Halloway Dates, lb. 10c
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Picnic Ham, per lb. 20c	Table Raisins, reg. 25c carton 20c
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Peanut Butter, per lb. 17c	Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs. 25c
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Kraft Cheese, per lb. 39c	Red Emperor Grapes, per lb. 25c
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Sliced Bologna, per lb. 46c	Jap Oranges, per box 78c
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Chocolate Butter, per lb. 46c	Hard Day Omelets, 12 lbs. 25c
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Or 3 lbs. for 81.42c	Butter, Creme, Butter-scotch, tarts and Fruit Drums, doz. 25c
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Selected Alberta Butter, lb. 48c	Fine Juicy Lemons, doz. 25c
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Or 3 lbs. for 81.42c	Chocolate Bars, all kinds, 6 for 25c
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Extra Quality Prime Steer Beef, Veal, Lamb and Young Pork	
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Shoulders Young Pork, lb. 18c	Prime Ribs of Beef, lb. 18c
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Legs Young Pork, lb. 18c	Rumps of Beef, lb. 20c
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Shoulders of Veal, lb. 28c	Sirloin of Beef, lb. 25c
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Legs of Veal, lb. 32c	Legs of Lamb, lb. 37c
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Stewing Veal, 3 lbs. 32c	Fresh-Killed Boiling Powl, lb. 25c
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British Drive Against Reds Stirs Critics

Good Name of Justice Not Safe in Hands of Present Home Secretary, Suggests Manchester Guardian

Carson, Birkenhead Actions Recalled

Former Made Judge, Latter Lord Chancellor, Despite Boasts That Army Would Be With Them

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The conviction of twelve leaders of the British Communist Party here yesterday on charges of sedition and incitement to mutiny in the military forces, was the leading topic of all the newspapers. Many of them applaud the prosecution of the Reds as providing a healthy warning, and none question the legality of the conviction.

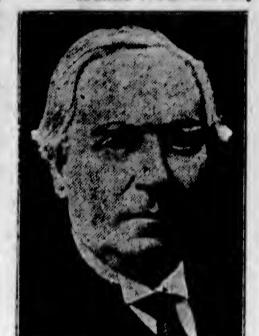
The Manchester Guardian, Liberal, suggests that the popular conscience of the English people in the administration of the law is not what it was fifteen years ago, when members of Parliament circulated a battalion of the Grenadiers in London, inciting them to mutiny in the interests of the Conservative Party.

The Guardian continues:

"The Field-Marshal took a hand in the dirty work of seducing the soldiers, and admiring eyes in the galleries.

The Earl of Oxford

Former Premier Heads New Society



Former British Premier who, with two other ex-Premiers, Lord Balfour and Ramsay MacDonald, are heading the New Health Society in Great Britain for the purpose of creating a new race for the prevention of disease.

Cathedral Holding Memorial Service

Rites in Commemoration of Late Queen Alexandra Will Take Place at 5 o'clock

In addition to the Memorial service to be held this morning at 10:30, at the Armories, Bay Street, under the auspices of the Ministerial Association, and at which all the students at the High School and 750 school children from the lower city will be present, there is to be a service at Christ Church Cathedral, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The Bishop of Columbia, the Dean and the Archdeacon will take part in the service, and the Cathedral choir will be in attendance.

Following is the order of service: Dead March in Saul; scripture reading, Dead March in Saul; Psalm, ninety; Te Deum, Winton Hill; organ, organ, New Jersey; lesson, St. John vi., 21-27; anthem, "O God of Saints"; Woodward; hymn 225, "How Bright These Glorious Spirits Shine;" address, the very Rev. C. S. Quinlan; prayers, by the Bishop of Columbia; hymn 520, "Jesus Lives;" National Anthem; benediction by the Bishop.

"My son has taken up Spanish, French, German and Scotch," remarked Mrs. Jones, proudly.

"Goodness gracious," replied her friend, "where does he study?"

"He doesn't study," the good lady explained. "He works a lift."

Advancing years can never efface your memory of childhood sweethearts if your memories are photographed.

Father (angrily): "Young man, didn't I see you kiss my daughter?" Lover (blushing): "Really, I don't know. I was too busy to notice."

There was one circumstance of the outward aspect of the House which must have stirred the imaginations of the legislators from across the border. On the Clerk's table was a cross of pure white flowers, tied with a pink bow of ribbon, and the remainder of the House, to its visitors, to itself, that the Legislature of a British people on the outward march of the Empire, was keeping in memory the Queen's daughter; that the Queen, 61 miles away, was keeping with all the peoples of the Empire around the casket of the dead Queen at Westminster, that Queen of whom it had been said, with exact recollection of phrase: "She was lovely in person and in character, and she was beloved wherever she was known."

The legislators from Washington, looking down from their attentive seats in the galleries, took note of these things. They took note of the ceremony with which, on this occasion, just as in the opposition displaying an almost incredible consequence, legislation could be expedited under the British parliamentary system. They took note of the fact that Hon. Attorney-General Manson, the parliamentary stage door-keeper of the democratic presentation, could introduce, not through first reading, second reading and committee stage, the Police and Prisons Regulations Act, a bill designed to give the Department of the Attorney-General additional disciplinary control of the Legionaries Force. That the legislators from Washington were making no noise of note was the final procedure in relation to that bill. The programme did not quite go through as scheduled. The incredibly-acquiescent opposition, despite the wondering and admiring eyes of the galleries, thought that this bill must undergo some minor amendments. The honorable and gallant member for Alberni thought the House should do business just as if there were no one more important

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THE PROVINCIAL BUDGET.

Chief interest in the Budget speech of Dr. J. D. MacLean, the Provincial Finance Minister, will centre on the tax reductions to be put into force. The greatest relief the Government, in any government, can give is in the matter of income tax. The collection, or rather the estimated collection, from this source for the next fiscal year is to be reduced by \$500,000. The tax on personal incomes up to \$3,000 is reduced to one per cent; on incomes of from \$3,000 to \$4,000, from three to two per cent; and on business incomes over \$20,000 a year the tax in future will be eight instead of ten per cent. It is stated moreover that each section of business and personal incomes will be given relative reductions, so that the relief may be felt all round.

The reductions will be received with approval. They have been expected ever since the Government took control of liquor receipts, and, even if belated, they are none the less welcome. It is, moreover, proposed to reduce the personal property tax by ten per cent, where it affects business adversely, with a promise that this tax will be abolished altogether in a year's time, provided the Government is satisfied that a tax on gross incomes can be substituted for it satisfactorily. This may mean nothing in the way of ultimate taxation relief, but the reduction for the coming fiscal year is at least definite and will be appreciated by all who object to a very unpopular tax. These reductions in income and personal tax are the only ones promised. They are an instalment, however, in the way of inducing greater capital investment in the Province.

The Finance Minister estimates a revenue for the coming fiscal year of \$18,064,396, with revenue from capital of \$495,000, and an estimated expenditure of \$15,547,716, with capital expenditures of \$2,289,235. In considering the financial commitments of the future, Dr. MacLean announces that the Government this session is asking the Legislature for loans of \$4,500,000, of which \$2,000,000 is for the University of British Columbia Buildings and townsite; \$2,250,000 for the completion of trunk roads, and \$250,000 for land settlement and land development purposes. The capital commitments, therefore, are to be greater than in the present fiscal year up to date.

We are somewhat at a loss to account for the Finance Minister's method of reasoning which would denote prosperity in British Columbia above the prosperity in other provinces of the Dominion because the total exports from the Province for nine months ending on September 30 were \$281.23 per capita, while Canada's entire exports during that period were \$13.80 per capita. He does not say whence those exports originated. British Columbia is a seaport province with the termini of transcontinental railways and much of Canada's trade logically flows through its ports. There is nothing whatever gained by comparison, therefore, of the export trade of this Province with that of other provinces in this respect, unless the comparison is between products actually originating within each province. That is the case, too, with imports. The bulk of the imports passing through our ports are not for British Columbia's consumption. Import trade and its distribution is a matter of population to a great extent. The figures given by the Finance Minister of the exports from Canada to Japan, to China, to India, to the Straits Settlements, to Australia and to New Zealand are figures regarding products originating in the Dominion as a whole. They are not British Columbia's exports, and as a matter of fact, the Provincial Government, so far as we have ever been able to learn, does not keep any statistics of the actual products of this Province which are shipped overseas.

Dr. MacLean has plenty to talk about in the matter of British Columbia without encroaching on Federal trade matters. It is well to know that British Columbia ports are receiving a larger share of business than in the past. Vancouver is the chief beneficiary because it is the terminus of the transcontinental roads. It is not through anything that the Province has done in the matter of its own legislation that trade in this respect is increasing and the figures relative to it have no rightful place in a provincial budget. They are obtainable from the Federal trade returns. Otherwise it is only fair to say that the Finance Minister's Budget speech is a carefully prepared document which reflects a good deal of research and which does credit to his portfolio which he holds. He has given the people a measure of reduction in taxation for which they have been clamoring so long. It might have been a greater reduction, and particularly in the matter of the per-

sonal property tax. So far as income tax is concerned the people of British Columbia are under a dual burden which weighs heavily on their economic efforts. We hope the Finance Minister is right in assuming that the Dominion Government is also contemplating income tax reductions. The tax is a fair one when not too onerous, but for a country with the great natural resources of British Columbia from which the Government of this Province derives such a revenue the income tax might well be much lighter than it is, especially with the source of revenue the Government now enjoys through liquor control.

RECRIMINATIONS.

Notable Anniversaries
November 27, 1829, saw the opening of the Welland Canal, marking a new era in Canada's development. The connection from Lake Ontario to Lake Erie was commenced in 1824, and its completion in five years was no small achievement for a young and thinly populated country. Needless to say, this first artificial water connection between the two lakes is a modern affair compared with a modern affair it will be when the work now in hand has been completed. A large amount of money has already been expended on enlargement and improvement of this important artery of commerce since the pioneer days of 1829.

ROSE-MOTHER, FAREWELL:
Farewell, Queen-Mother! Rose-Mother, Farewell!
In our Empire's history is no parallel.
With a sweetest of smiles thou
caused over the sea
And to England's heart; and
years—years shall we
Her children's children, thee cherish
—and tell!
To our children's children, in citadel
—In humble cottage, how thou didst
compele
Our love—who knew thee—and
our loyalty. Rose-Mother!
The roses thou lovest—dear flowers
men excel
All others shall, silently, play
sentinel
Around thee; England's Royal
Rose shall be
Our Emblem of Love—for Eternity.
Our hearts sadly throb at the toll of
the bell—
Farewell, Queen-Mother! Rose-Mother, Farewell!

KILLED GORDON, Victoria, B.C.

ALEXANDRA, THE QUEEN MOTHER'

"Over the silver cord be loosed,
or the golden bowl be broken
the spirit shall return unto God who
gave it."

A nation mourns beside a royal bier,
Unfolding wings that purple shafts
down lift;
And over the earth's fairest flower,
God's regal gift,
Lies 'neath that perfumed pall,
"Queen Mother," dear.

All hearts are bowed anon, the silent
tears—
Nor dearer hath a kingdom ever
known
Than she, whose tender, loving
mercy's own
Now bloom beyond this transitory
sphere.

Lo! There, beside the One Eternal
throne,
In blent communion with the saints
above
She dwells, in peace profound and
perfect love;

And here, within our hearts to mem-
ber dear.
A crowd of righteousness her dim-
ondem.
Of such 'tis writ: "Their works
do follow them!"

JEANNE VALDEZ
Victoria, B.C., November 27, 1925.

"Let us therefore follow after the
things which make for peace."

**Club Seeks Repeal
Of Proposed Road Toll**

VANCOUVER, Nov. 26.—The protest of the Automobile Club of British Columbia against the proposed imposition of a \$5 road toll over the new Fraser Canyon highway was laid before Hon. H. R. Berry, Minister of Transportation Works, in Victoria, Wednesday, by R. E. Berry, of Vancouver; J. A. Blair, of New Westminster, and Colonel A. W. R. Wilby, of Victoria, and the committee reported back to the organization this morning that the President of the Public Works Commission urged that the suggested \$5 toll would defeat the purpose for which the highway was constructed and would kill the tourist business which it was expected would be developed.

POLITICAL VISITORS

The visiting members of the Washington Legislature are very welcome guests in Victoria. It is a happy thought which has prompted their presence here and we hope that both in their observation of proceedings in the British Columbia Legislature, as well as through their contact with the members of that Legislature and with other citizens, that their brief stay here will prove thoroughly enjoyable. It would be well for the legislators in all parliaments if they traveled often and came more in contact with the political thought which exists outside of their own immediate bailiwicks. Indeed, Cabinet Ministers and members as well were absent from the seats of Government far more than they are the affairs of countries would probably go on better than ever under the departmental administrations. Probably few legislators will agree with this viewpoint, but it is not a new one. Lord Rosebery once suggested that the entire British Cabinet should go aboard ship and tour the Empire for six or nine months and he said that the people of Britain would lose none of their equanimity or poise during their absence, while the affairs of the country would be administered as well and perhaps better than ever.

Nothing will do legislators, and particularly the legislators of Provincial and State Governments, more good than an enlargement of their breadth of vision, either through study or travel. The members of the Washington House have set an example which it is to be hoped our own legislators will follow. They have set an example, too, in a closer rapprochement between a Province and a State which adjoin one another. It is a happy political reunion, and doubtless the visitors from across the border will carry away with them pleasing recollections. The experiment of their having come here should lead some time in the future to a return visit to Olympia of the members of the British Columbia Legislature.

Professor Wrong says that not more than 10,000 Canadians understand this country's problems. The professor, however, may be in error and the 8,000,000 Canadians who he believes are ignorant may be right.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be accepted except the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

POLITICAL EDICTS

Sir.—Many of your readers, doubtless, perused with surprise mingled with regret, your report of the speech delivered the other night by Mr. H. H. Shandley, president of the Liberal Association of this city, in which, according to your report, he stated that he would vote against the Liberal candidate as a protest against the Provincial Civil Service Commissioner. He further states, according to your report, that the points at issue between the Liberal and Conservative candidates were the same as those advanced by the civil servants who, he said, cast their ballots from the point of view of the dislike of the above-mentioned commissioner.

It is probable that those civil servants who went to the polls would like to know what was particular in the speech of Mr. Shandley has discovered how they voted. They were, no doubt, under the impression that there was such a thing as the "secret of the ballot."

The input burled indiscriminately at this body of civil servants from women who are not permitted to reply for themselves is, to my knowledge, deeply regretted by them, who count among their number many men and women of the finest calibre who have enough public spirit and interest in their country and in Canada to be willing to weigh carefully the issues and vote accordingly.

To those who voted for Mr. Ivel:

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Mr. Shandley declared that the best way to bring the education of this Canadianism was through the teaching of Canada in the schools. Young Canadians should be steeped in its history, accomplishments, possibilities and destinies. The teaching of Canadian history was an actual necessity.

It was not taught in a casual way, but was a feature of the educational curriculum.

The speaker contended that if the minds of young Canadians were planted deeply in the soul of four centuries of Canadian history, with all its fine inspiration and examples, there would be established a bond which would result in the allurement of patriotic and manly qualities growing in vogue in many parts of this continent.

Sound Citizenship.

If young Canadians were saturated in the details of Canadian history, they would have respect for law, respect for achievements, respect for influences, admiration for the deeds of Canada's great men, and a desire to emulate their sacrifices and willingness to pioneer in this continental citizenship.

Mr. Nicholas observed denoted something more than the multiplication of millions.

In concluding, Mr. Nicholas urged

the Rotary Club, through its association with other service clubs, to investigate the scope and character of the instruction in Canadian history in the Canadian schools, for the purpose of making Canadian history an outstanding feature of Canada's educational system.

In thanking the speaker for his informative remarks, President R. W. McInnes and Canadian about the proud that Canada was their home.

"We are sitting on the shoulder of the globe, looking east and west. No matter which way prosperity goes, we are going to share in it. We are destined to be a unique and wonderful people, and we should not be afraid to tackle the hard problems that have come to our way."

Trifute Paid

The program was conducted by the Canadian advisory committee of the programme committee of the Rotary Club, chairman of which is Past President James Beatty.

Members of the Rotary Club paid

a standing tribute to the memory of Hon. H. H. Shandley, president of the Public Works Commission, following a brief address by Padre Chadwick on the loss which the Empire had sustained through his death.

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Where, after investigation, into the conduct of a member or members of the fees or upon the report of an inspector, the superintendent is of opinion that a member is guilty of any act or conduct for which he should be disciplined in some manner other than by suspension, the superintendent may, under the provisions of the bill, fine the member, not exceeding one month's pay, and may reduce him in rank. The proceedings shall at once be referred to the Attorney-General, to whom an appeal shall lay; and the Attorney-General may confirm, mitigate or remit any penalty imposed on a member of the force under the bill.

Mr. Mansan said that this method

was in practice in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Mr. H. D. Twiss, Victoria City, and other opposition members considered that the superintendent was

given powers that really abdicated

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Leaving Wife Arrested
VANCOUVER, Nov. 26.—Following his wife's departure with their three children and all the household furniture, Lester Bacus caused the arrest of Mrs. Helen Bacus and Leo Peister, forty-one, of North Vancouver, who with the theft of more than \$16. Mrs. Bacus, who said she had gone to North Vancouver to become Peister's housekeeper, and the latter, whose home was enriched with the furniture and children, were arrested late yesterday.

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Chief Magistrate Does Not Believe Water Commission Accusation Was Ever Told to Mr. Frank Higgins

Clashes Frequent at Committee Session

Mayor Pendray Makes Vigorous Denial of Charges Levelled at Him by Opponents to Expropriation

He believed that Mr. Frank Higgins had never been told that the Esquimalt Waterworks Company was paying a \$30,000 commission in connection with the expropriation of the system by the city. Mayor J. Earl Pendray declared at yesterday morning's session of the private bills committee of the House.

Temper flared up in the course of the debate and verbal clashes were frequent and bitter as the city continued its fight for legislation to validate the expropriation. When proceedings opened the chairman announced he accepted the City Council's resolution affirming its innocence on the charge that any of its members, or any city official, had shared in the alleged \$30,000 commission. Late, Mr. A. Maclean, K.C., counsel for the Esquimalt Waterworks Company, allied with the city in seeking the legislation, was interrupted in what was believed was about to be a denial on behalf of the company of the commission "charge." The chairman ruled that the incident was closed.

Charges Denied

Mayor Pendray made a vigorous speech in denial of arguments and charges levelled against him by opponents to the bill, and defended City Solicitor Pringle from the inculpation that he had feigned the necessity of a holiday in order to be out of Victoria during the expropriation was being carried out.

Replying to Reeve Maclean's asser-

tion that the city had not dealt fairly with Saanich in advancing the price of water suddenly and without prior notice, Mayor Pendray charged that Reeve Maclean had said that would appear a committee to deal with the problem in conference with the city and then had failed to do so.

"Councilor Kirkham told me he never heard anything about it," declared the Mayor, "and that the meeting never took place."

Mr. Maclean, Esquimalt coun-

selor, in his effort to protect the in-

terests of his municipality when the

session opened. He reiterated his

contention that the waters from the

Goldstream system should not be de-

livered outside the Esquimalt penin-

sula and that the charge for water in

the municipality should not be higher

than in the city.

Later, he charged that the only

reason the city had expropriated the

Esquimalt system was so that it would

be able to transfer to the shoulders of

ratepayers in the municipality a share

of the burden of paying for the expro-

priation. In the construction and op-

eration of the Sooke Lake system,

which, he declared, would cost

ten cents a thousand gallons was too

high a rate to be charged for water—

eleven years ago a former water com-

misioner had informed the municipali-

ty that the city could not supply

water for less than that figure.

Mayor Pendray opened his speech

with the declaration that he did not

make such a statement about a \$30,000

commission to Mr. Higgins.

The Mayor denied the statement of

Mr. Higgins to the effect that he had

"lied" the people into a false sense

of security by promising to submit the

expropriation to a vote of the rate-

paying public.

"I do not remember ever making

any announcement to this effect," he

declared. "I have asked all the alder-

men and, with the single exception of

Ald. Shanks, they are all prepared to

vote for this measure."

Replying to Mr. Maclean's argu-

ment that the city could never fulfil

the Esquimalt company's contract to

supply water to the B.C. Electric

Railway Company, Mayor Pendray

said that, up to a few days ago, the

power company had been supplied

with 100 million gallons

a day in excess of the quantity called

for in the contract. This had hap-

pened in spite of the period of un-

usual drought.

Definition Urged

The Reeve replied that he wanted

the extent of the city's undertaking to

be definitely outlined in the bill.

"You want an obligation to waste

the water," interjected Mr. Maclean.

"No, I don't," retorted Reeve

Matheson.

"I don't know what you want—but that's it, if you want anything," replied Mr. Maclean.

Not to define the city's obligations

explicitly in the bill would lead

to litigation, Reeve Matheson con-

tended.

Mr. Frank Higgins, K.C., counsel

for private citizens opposed to the

bill, objected to the insertion of

amendments without their having

been advertised in the regular way.

Mr. Higgins asked that Mr. George

Oliver, whom he described as a "practical plumber," be allowed to describe

the nature of the Esquimalt Water-

works pipe system.

Immediately there was a clamor

from council for all sides.

The city argued that Mr. Dawes, of North

Saanich, should be heard in support

of the bill. Alderman Clearihue

urged that a delegation from the

Goldstream area, representing about 1,200 petitioners, should be

heard in support of the bill. These

men had attended the committee ses-

sions on all three mornings, he said,

and should be given a chance to speak.

Chairman Given Ruling

The chairman finally made himself

heard to the effect that the Chamber

of Commerce delegation had lost

their privilege of speaking, as they

failed to announce themselves at a

previous session when invited to do

so. North Saanich had already made

out its case. And he could not pos-

ibly permit Mr. Oliver to speak at

this stage without permitting anyone

else to speak beyond the work of the

committee beyond its resolution.

Mr. C. L. Harrison, counsel for the

city, sought to reply to the "disgrace-

ful" personal accusations which had

been flung across the room. He out-

lined the legal aspects of the case and

showed that it was not necessary to

submit the question of the expropria-

tion to the ratification of the by-law.

The Victoria Improvement Act of 1899 only required this to be

done when the city borrowed money

or constructed new works. The city

was buying this system from the

revenue it produced, he said.

Answering Mr. Higgins' contention

that the city was compelled by the

terms of the by-law to submit the expro-

priation to a vote of the ratepayers,

Mr. Harrison replied that by-law deal

ed with the powers of the water commis-

sioner in connection with the powers

of the water commissioner in connection

with the Goldstream watershed. Even

granting that Mr. Higgins' argu-

ment was sound, the by-law was

never superseded by a Provincial

statute,

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France Turns Once Again To M. Briand

Former Premier Requested Second Time in Week to Form Ministry—M. Herriot's Efforts Futile

Socialist Cabinet Urged by Radicals

President Considers Experiment Too Dangerous—Preference Given Concentration-Government

PARIS, Nov. 24.—Aristide Briand, former Premier, tonight was making his second effort of the week to constitute a cabinet to succeed the Painlevé ministry, which resigned Sunday.

After M. Briand's failure to form a Cabinet, announced by President Doumergue this afternoon, brought the crisis back to the point where it was at the beginning of the week. The President, for the purpose of seeking another Cabinet maker, conferred again with parliamentary leaders and then appealed to M. Briand to step into the breach again.

Socialists Refuse Support

M. Briand, who was Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Painlevé Cabinet, found the situation quite different than when he tried to make up a ministerial combination early in the month. This time, the meaning was that by his manoeuvres forced President Doumergue to call on M. Herriot, and it was discovered that he had made it impossible for M. Herriot to succeed in forming a Government.

The experiments remaining to try were a Socialist Cabinet or a concentration Government, which would be formed regardless of the Socialist vote in the Chamber.

A good many Radicals and some of the more moderate parliamentarians advised that the chamber be given a chance to show what they would do in power. It was thought the venture would last only a few weeks, when the situation would be cleared of Socialist obstruction and a stable Government could be formed.

Toos Dangerous

President Doumergue decided, however, that the experiment was too dangerous and would be likely to bring further difficulties to the French Government, and further tangling of the political situation. He gave preference to the idea of a concentration cabinet and called M. Briand again, after consulting with the Radical leaders as to the possibility of rallying them to a coalition with a party that would eliminate the Socialist influence.

Hearing Adjourned.—Elizabeth Alexander was charged in police court yesterday with keeping a disorderly house in connection with the old Oriental Hotel. A plea of not guilty was entered by the accused, her counsel, Mr. R. C. Lowe. In the absence of the city prosecutor, postponement of the hearing was granted until Monday next.

To Estimate Cost

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Although preferring to take second place—that is, Minister of Foreign Affairs—in a Cabinet combination, M. Briand consented to make another effort. The general opinion tonight was that the new Government would be majority composed of Radicals. Republicans of the Left and other moderate parties, he will be able to form a Government that will last long enough to untangle the financial and political situations.

Coup d'Etat Fared

The protracted Cabinet crisis has intensified the rumors of an impending coup d'etat. The movement first gained strength over Paris since the fall of M. Painlevé's previous Ministry in the latter part of October. The organs of the parties on the Right are accusing the Socialists of proposing to take power by force, while the Left parties contend that such a danger comes from the Right.

Experts on the internal political affairs of France agree that the country is evolving towards a situation which would make a coup possible and in many quarters, welcome. The man in the street constantly refers to such a development as inevitable, with a tendency to regard relief from the present muddled parliamentary situation.

The consensus, however, is that a dissolution of Parliament must come first, and then if the election should leave the parties stalemate as at present, the country probably would be ripe for a coup d'etat.

Death Calls Dr. Weldon, Maritimes Educator

HALIFAX, N.S., Nov. 24.—Elgar Chapman Weldon, seventy-five, dean of Dalhousie Law School from 1883 to 1913, died today. He was born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1850. He was a professor of mathematics at Mount Allison University, Sackville, N.B., from 1875 to 1882. He was chairman of the British Columbia University commission in 1910. He took an active interest in politics and religion. He served in the House of Commons from 1887 to 1892 and unsuccessfully contested Sherburne, N.B., against Hon. W. R. Fielding in the by-election of 1900. Dr. Weldon retired about twelve years ago.

Sold as Rhodes Scholar

WINNIPEG, Nov. 25.—Hector Allard, R.A., graduate of St. Boniface College, is Manitoba's 1926 Rhodes scholar. Mr. Allard has a long record of scholastic accomplishments, and has won many medals and awards. He is also prominent in collegiate sports.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAD-ways

"Canadian National" leaves Vancouver, 7:30 p.m. daily, for Edmonton, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Ottawa and Montreal, making connections for other Eastern points. Carries through all-steel standard and tourist sleeping cars, dining car and drawing-room compartment, library-observation car, equipped with radio.

Reservations and reservations arranged, also baggage checked through from Victoria.

CANADIAN NATIONAL STEAM-SHIPS

Steamer Prince Rupert will leave Vancouver every Monday, at 1:00 p.m. for Stewart and Anvik, calling at Powell River, Ocean Falls, and Prince Rupert. The ship will return to Vancouver fortnightly for Queen Charlotte Island points.

Chang's Lieutenant Revolts

TIENTSIN, Nov. 24.—General Li Chang-Ling, civil governor of Chihli Province, who had been counted a supporter of Chang-Tao-Lin, the Manchurian dictator, has declared Chihli Province independent. "In order to provide a buffer between Manchuria and Peking." The governor said he will only accept the orders of the chief executive in Peking. This action amounts to open revolt against Chang-Tao-Lin.

City & District

Main of Quebec Alleged—James A. Davies, of Quebec Street, was arrested by the city police last night and will appear in court this morning on a charge of unlawfully selling liquor.

Police Prestences Charged—A charge was laid against H. R. Hill, in police court yesterday of obtaining board and lodging by false pretences was set down for hearing this morning. Accused pleaded not guilty.

Selling Home-Cooking—The ladies of St. Andrew's Cathedral will hold a sale of home-cooking Saturday morning in the basement of David Spencer, Ltd., by courtesy of the management.

Church Parade—The following special notice has been issued to all members of No. 2 Co. 11th D.T., C.A.S.C.: Church parade Sunday, November 29. Fall in at Dominion Theatre, Yates Street, 10:30 a.m. (Signed) J. C. F. Hyndman (Major).

Special Broadcast—A special dance music programme will be broadcast from station CFCT this evening through the courtesy of the Port Angeles Radio Club. Pearson's dance orchestra, of Port Angeles, consisting of eight pieces, will supply the music and will dispense the latest numbers.

School Inspections—Visits to local factories for the week ending today are: B.C. Telephone Co. Exchange, Wednesday; High School Commercial Class; Hiker Toy Co., Friday; Victoria West School; Sidney Roofing Co., Friday; Boys' Central School; Canadian Western Cooperage, Friday; North Ward School.

Prize-Giving Postponed—Owing to an attempt by the Labor party to censor the period of official mourning for the late Queen Alexandra, Mrs. W. C. Nichol will be unable to attend the distribution of certificates for Mme. Webb's pupils tonight at the Victoria Technical School. The distribution has been postponed until a date to be announced.

Logging Dispute—Chief Justice Hunter has disposed of the action, Yeo and Pimlott versus Leigh Mill, Limited, giving the plaintiffs judgment for \$1,000 and costs. The action was connected with a logging contract and an unexecuted branch of the terms. Mr. P. J. Sinnott appeared for the plaintiffs, the other side being unrepresented.

Hearing Adjourned—Elizabeth Alexander was charged in police court yesterday with keeping a disorderly house in connection with the old Oriental Hotel. A plea of not guilty was entered by the accused, her counsel, Mr. R. C. Lowe.

Prisoners—A party of officials from the Oak Bay Council, consisting of Councillors Mearns, Money, Ashe and Wilson, will confer with Municipal Engineer Fowler, and estimate the cost of proposed improvements to the Oak Bay Park at the Oak Bay Street terminus. The report will be presented to the council at its next meeting.

Estimate Cost—A party of twenty-four officials and a teacher from the Normal School yesterday paid a visit to the Victoria Textile Company's factory, 2003 Government Street. The estimate was entered by the accused, her counsel, Mr. R. C. Lowe.

Prisoners—A committee composed of Gyro Bert Bibbald, Fred Holtermann and Bill Hudson was appointed to investigate the conduct of club quarters. Gyro Bill Hudson reported on his visit to the

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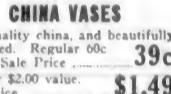
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Gertrude Huntley Green Ardently Welcomed in Victoria Programme

Canada's Most Gifted Pianiste Plays Programme of Unique Interest Which Is Revelation of Exceptional Technique—Instinctive Grace Marks All Numbers

If it is possible for a critic to carry away a single regret from a recital by Mrs. Gertrude Huntley Green it is that she leaves one nothing to re-project with.

The law of attraction was very noticeable in the overflow audience which gathered at Congregational Church last evening for the first recital which this rarely-gifted pianist had given since her return from Europe where she has been traveling for the nearly two hours which it took to play the twelve numbers and five encores, one could easily account for the rare hold which she has on the hearts of her public here; she not only paid them the compliment of preparing a completely fresh repertory, unique in musical dispensation, but rendered it with a grace and perfection which was in itself a gracious tribute to the intelligence of an audience which has made her a consistent and outstanding exception to the old maxim that "a prophet is not without honor save in his own country."

The characteristic attributes of Mrs. Green's playing is unshaken. Although there is a conspicuous development and growth, there is no change in

the underlying quality, which is one of instinctive grace, elegance, refinement, and the tranquility which belonged to the classic age. Nowhere does one feel a touch of impatience, violence or impetuosity in the musician herself, although she is able to betray these emotions in the compositions which demand it. Her wonderfully clear and distinct enunciation was so more than adequate that the listener is dominated by a sense of leisurely charm in many things which the pianist of average frailties would not even attempt to play. Her tone has great range dimensionally, as well as in the matter of quality, but her most tremendous forte are achieved with a grace and instinctive perfection which was in itself a gracious tribute to the intelligence of an audience which has made her a consistent and outstanding exception to the old maxim that "a prophet is not without honor save in his own country."

Scarlatti Opens

The programme opened with two Scarlatti numbers, the first a Concert Allegro arranged by Godowsky, an animated number which crystallized attention right at the beginning. After this there followed the exquisitely bright and sprightly "Little Sonatas,"

by the same composer. The succeeding numbers descended from beauty to beauty, each revealing some new aspect of the pianist's clear and expressive style and magnificently developed technique.

The Mozart "Pastorale with Variations" brought a storm of applause from the audience, poetic, persuasive, with passages of running notes as clear as separated crystals. The flexibility of execution in this was amaz-

"Chorus of Dervishes" (Beethoven) brought the fervid atmosphere of a desert scene suddenly animated by madly whirling dancers. The composition was originally written for orchestra, a fact which in itself hints at the intricacies and interest of the composition.

Annotations
The five succeeding numbers were elaborately annotated on the programme. The Nocturne, a dreamlike position, the fantastically narrative "Papillon," showing that the pianist has the gift of humor and humanity as well as a highly developed aestheticism; and the "Toccata," which afforded an exhibition of bravura, particularly such as the great pianist might well enjoy.

Unanimously applauded, this number, one of the finest of a superb programme, evoked as an encore the well-known transcription of "Ori Wings of Song," an excellent contra-

The three Chopin numbers were also annotated. "Fantaisie" ("Nocturne") and Polonaise in F Sharp Minor, a group which ranged through the whole gamut of human emotion.

The Nocturne, a romantic poem, and Polonaise, a war theme, were particularly beautiful, the velvety tones and tender and dynamic character of the second making them memorable.

Of the remaining numbers, "At Spring" (Ilist), "Tristan" (Albeniz), and "Tocatta" (Saint-Saens), special reference should be made to the second, which was, both as composition and interpretation, the lovely novelty of the programme. Its rhythmic fluidity, its pulsating color, passionate ardor, seductive as one might see it in the land of the Danes.

"Souz Rols" (Slavbe), which Mrs. Green introduced to Victoria audiences some years ago, was the first of four encore which she gave during the latter part of her programme.

Godowsky's arrangement of the famous Jarnefeldt Prelude were two of the others which she graciously added to an already rich recital. At the last she sat at the piano, embossed with flowers showered upon her during the closing minutes of the programme.

The fine-toned piano used by Mrs. Green was a Chickering from the Willis Piano Company.

Provinces of British Columbia and the state of Washington paralleled in physical conditions and geographical location, as he pointed out. Washington had surpassed British Columbia in triumphing both in marketing and in organization. This argument was illustrated by references to poultry, fruit and dairy in Washington. He cited the example of a high-grade dairy farm which was raised on the Island a large and profitable market would be built up. He impressed the steady movement to commercialize agricultural industry of Washington, an example to be closely watched.

A Transformation

Mr. Thomson took a shag dig at the transformed real estate men whom he once knew here, apparently now bloated out on bond brokers. Why did they leave? They themselves so much to develop the business in far distant fields, while there were so many things wanted to be done industrially in British Columbia?

People here were unaware of the growth of the lettuce business in Washington, an export business of 1,000 carloads a year. Mr. Thomson quoted a number of statistics of other garden crops grown in Washington. There was more need for real work on the Island, if they were to produce more, he asserted.

Industries Referred to

Turning next to industries, he doubted if there were as many industries here today as there were when he came thirty-two years ago. How many were there? Anybody can ascertain if they were buying home-made goods—patronizing home industries? In the State of Washington 5,638 factories were producing more than the fish, apples, lumber and wheat production by more than \$200,000,000 per year, with only three times the population of B.C. Mr. Thomson cited some statistics to show that industry in Washington was growing more rapidly than in many other states.

Elevator Screenings

The speaker next took an opportunity to praise the port equipment already established here, and recommended the local authorities, in negotiating with the elevator companies for taxation, to see that the screenings were available to their poultry, so that the by-products would be used in developing the poultry industry of the Island.

Speaking of Island matters, he expressed regret that some of the areas, formerly noted agricultural ones, were not prospering. He cited particularly the Alberni Valley, with abandoned farms, and also the limited development of the city, particularly on the Sooke Road, as instances where conditions were retrograding, instead of advancing, as the years passed by.

Use as Cleaning House

Mr. James H. Beatty, who presided, explained the object of the members' forum, and remarked that the opportunity was thus given to all members to voice their opinions, as the clearing house of the ideas of members.

Mr. C. P. W. Schwengeler, president of the Chamber, said the Island people were producing an output which was itself an indication of the energy of the people. He cited the speaker had taken a dark view of Island agriculture.

Several speakers were inclined to dispute with Mr. Thomson with regard to the decline of some parts of the Island, it being argued many new industries had been started recently.

A remark of Mr. Thomson favoring private game farms, was endorsed by Alderman Todd.

New Monarch Mounts
Throne in Siam Capital

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to the late Mr. F. C. Wade in securing the inclusion of canned salmon and canned fruit in the list of articles at the Imperial Economic Conference.

Mr. Thomson asked them to discuss the present free trade with Great Britain was free trade. There were many items in the McKenna list of duties introduced by a Free Trade Liberal Chancellor of the Exchequer, which continued until the MacDonald government removed them, to be restored by the Wilson administration. All food products also were free, as was illustrated in the common commodity of sugar, an illustration of which they were aware was that of cattle export from Canada. In removal of the embargo he expressed his view that the better plan by Canada was to help sell meat across the Atlantic to England, manufacturing all the by-products in the Dominion, where it could be done better.

Mr. Thomson then traced the history of the export of wheat, wool and raw silk to the Dominions to the Mother Countries, and said that there was an ample opportunity for trade, but much propaganda and educational effort was needed in Great Britain yet to teach Britons that the overseas Dominions could supply their needs.

A Parallel Case

Drawing a parallel between the

His hopes were not realized and his younger brother, Prince Dhirkap, succeeded to the throne. A daughter was born yesterday to the queen.

who was forty-five years old, recently underwent an operation for an abdominal abscess from which he did not recover. Prior to the operation, he suffered from acute gastritis.

He was educated at Oxford and was married to Princess Lakshmiyan in 1922.

Queen Deposed

It was decided that until King Rama had made issue the succession should be through the queen mother's

son. Last month Rama deposed his queen on grounds that she had not carried her duties toward King and Country "in a satisfactory manner."

The daughter born yesterday to the King and new queen, Chao Chom Sudhawadee, the fifth child to be born to a king in thirty-two years, the last being Prince Dhirkap, who now succeeds to the throne.

He was educated at Oxford and was married to Princess Lakshmiyan in 1922.

When King Rama last month raised Lady Sudhawadee to the rank of royal consort in place of the childless Queen Lakshmi, the following proclamation was issued:

"The King has observed that the new queen has served him with faith-

fulness and love and it is fitting, therefore, that she should be raised to high estate in order to support the rank of the child she will bear His Majesty in the near future."

Wembley Liquidation

LONDON, Nov. 26.—The British Government's financial obligations in connection with the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley will be liquidated in a few weeks, when an bill will be passed in Parliament sanctioning the payment of the Government's guarantee of £1,000,000 on the same basis as the payment of the money guaranteed by private parties.



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Silver Tea

On Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. P. A. MacLean entertained at her home, 615 Empress Avenue, for the benefit of the Canadian Red Cross and Missionary Society of the Grace English Lutheran Church. Mrs. MacLean was assisted in serving by Mrs. Clark and Mrs. W. E. Mead. Mrs. J. Drobob and Mrs. Theo. A. Jansen had charge of entertainment and programme. Vocal solos were given by Mrs. Bainbridge,

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St. Mary's Bazaar

The bazaar and sale of work to be held by the Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's Church will be opened at 10 o'clock, Wednesday, December 2, in the hall. Mrs. Marshall is the general convener, and the following ladies are in charge of stalls, etc.: Tea, Mrs. Montizambert; home cooking, Mrs. Harracough; candy, Mrs. Landry; corsets, Mrs. J. G. Gandy; novelties, Mrs. Ruth; woolens, Miss Cowley; fancy stall, Mrs. Playfair; touch and taste, Mrs. Nunna, Hinen, Mrs. Crease.

Firemen's Dance

Arrangements are already completed for the Victoria Fire Department's annual dance, which will be held at the Empress Hotel, February 12. Hunt's augmented orchestra has been engaged and tickets will be available at 50¢ each. The following committee will be in charge: Messrs. H. W. Burnett (chairman), T. N. Guy, Charles Gwyer, M. Woodburn, R. Cox, F. Henry, J. Heale and E. Roberts.

Bazaar Held

A most successful bazaar was held at St. Martin's Church Wednesday, the proceeds being given to the building fund. Mr. F. C. Chapman, in opening the sale, referred briefly to the prosperous church in England of the same name, and wished the little church a happy future. The stall holders were: Home cooking, Mrs. Barrett and Mrs. Higgins; tea, Mrs. Leggett; Mrs. Baston and Mrs. Sadler; sewing, Miss Stocken and Mrs. Jackson.

Dance Postponed

Owing to the death of Queen Alexandra, the dance scheduled to take place in St. Mary's Hall under the auspices of the St. Mary's Recreation Club this evening, has been postponed. Left for United States.

After a two weeks' visit to her brother-in-law and sister, Captain and Mrs. J. W. Troup, Mrs. Crosby left yesterday afternoon for the United States.

Bridge Hostess

Mrs. M. J. McCallum, Esquimalt Road, entertained at a delightful bridge party yesterday afternoon.

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Card Party

A five hundred card party will be held at Craigflower School, Friday evening, at 8 o'clock.

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Successful in every particular was the grand barn dance which members of Victoria Lodge, No. 2, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, conducted last night in their club premises, Weiler Block, Douglas Street. The function surpassed in excellence last year's enjoyable festival and all present spent one of the most delightful times of their lives.

The hall was gaily and suitably decorated for the occasion and Professor Hunt's musicians were in great form, providing a most acceptable programme of the very latest in dance compositions. They responded to many demands for encores.

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There was not a dull moment from the time the orchestra played the opening number until the strains of the home waltz brought the merry party to a conclusion. Fun and joy reigned supreme throughout the entertainment, which was voted an qualified success by everyone present.

A delicious supper was served at 10 o'clock, and dancing began at 11 o'clock, the high standard of the fete, novelties introduced during the evening proved exceedingly popular and created much excitement.

The committees which convened the successful barn dance follows: R. L. Lougheed (chairman), Ernest Stock, Bob Burns, Ed Jones, Wally Munkley, Harry Edwards, Dick Metters, Walter Watson, George Harris, Joe Levy, Jim Stewart, Walter Lorimer (Exalted Ruler), and Bert Best (secretary).

Women's Institutes

Langford

At a well-attended meeting of the Langford Women's Institutes, held Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. G. Iron, president, was welcomed back by the members after several months absence. The correspondence read was of much interest and invoked considerable discussion. The Government book prizes for the last flower show were awarded to Mrs. G. Ellington and Mrs. O'Neill for the largest number of exhibits. Junior books were won by Wilma Pike, M. Stella, M. Hincks and Alice Dowdell, Miss Bill (Evening W.A.), Miss Kirkbright (girls' branches), Miss Henwell (juniors); home cooking, Mrs. Eastwood; book stall, Miss Turner; candy, St. Margaret's School; ice cream, Mrs. J. G. Gandy; Tea and coffee will be served at the gymnasium. An exhibit of ecclesiastical art will be held in the chapel; a mental hygiene exhibit will be displayed in class rooms on the upper floor, and lantern pictures will be shown in the auditorium.

Queen of Island Bazaar

The bazaar held on Tuesday afternoon, at 1230 Government Street, under the auspices of Queen of the Island, L.O.A.A., proved to be both a pleasant and profitable event. The bazaar was opened by Mrs. Lee. The hall and stalls were prettily decorated and business was good. Afternoon tea was served at 3 o'clock, and Mrs. Westgate, The doll named as a bride was won by Mrs. Donald Cameron, with ticket No. 43; candy by Mrs. Wight, 224 Simcoe Street, and runner by Mrs. Davis, Yates Street. The cake will be drawn for later. The convener, Mrs. Keating, and Mrs. Appling, thank all members of the order and friends for their assistance in making this their first bazaar such a success.

Native Daughters of B.C.

The regular meeting of Post No. 3 of the Native Daughters of British Columbia was held Wednesday evening in the Victoria Club room. The meeting was attended by the Grand Chief Factor, Mrs. Hartland, of Nanaimo, and by the Grand Secretary, Mrs. Mottshaw. Two candidates were initiated with the usual ceremony. Much business was transacted, plans being made for a rummage sale to be held Saturday, December 5, in a vacant store on Douglas Street. The bazaar will be held in the basement of the church, at 10 o'clock. The regular meetings will be held at 8 o'clock, after which a social dance will be held.

Sale of Work

The Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Princess Avenue and Chambers Street, will hold a sale of work and concert in the basement of the church, this evening at 7 o'clock. Many useful articles have been donated and there are to be stalls of home cooking, candy, etc.

Primrose Lodge

Lodge Primrose, No. 32, is holding a bazaar tomorrow afternoon in Harmony Hall, which will be opened by the Primrose Lodge members. The social dance will be held at 8 o'clock, after which a social dance will take place.

Card Party

A five hundred card party will be held at Craigflower School, Friday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Weddings

Vashereen-Ward

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of the officiating minister, Major J. Campbell, D.D., "Broadbanc," Fort Street, Victoria. Christopher Vashereen became the bride of Mr. Louis Vashereen. The bride, given in marriage by her mother, wore her travelling suit of dark brown and hat to match, and carried a bouquet of pale pink and white roses. Miss Lilly Harris was maid of honor, and wore a pretty frock of dark blue crepe. Her flowers were

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HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 25.—Governor John H. Trumbull consented tonight to stay the execution of Gerald Chapman for three months until

March 3, 1926. That was the date agreed upon this afternoon by State's Attorney Alcorn and Joseph Freedman of counsel for Chapman to allow time for the Supreme Court of the Land to rule on his request. Chapman is refused today to accept President Coolidge's commutation of his 25-year Federal sentence nullified the commutation.

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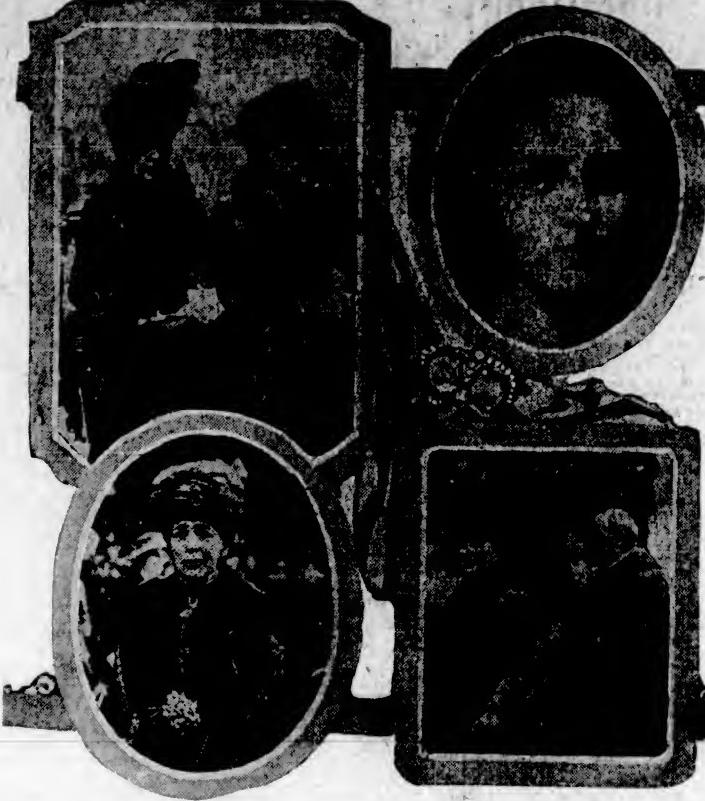
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Late Queen Mother Alexandra as She Appeared at Different Stages of Her Life

Empire-wide grief is being expressed in the Royal Family upon the death of Queen Alexandra, at her Norfolk home, Sandringham. In the picture at the upper left she is shown with her sister, the ex-Empress Marie of Russia; and below, in one of her most recent pictures. At the right above she is shown as she appeared at the time of her marriage to King Edward, then Prince of Wales, and below, one of the last photographs taken with her husband.

The Lonely House

By MRS. BELLOC LOWDNER

THIS STORY IS FOR FAN

LILY FAIRFIELD, a young English girl, on a visit to her mother's step-sister, the COUNTESS POLDA, at her place, La Ronde, Monaco. She arrived, apparently before she expected, and the Countess seems somewhat put out about it.

MISS BEPO POPEAU, middle-aged Frenchwoman, who has helped make Lily comfortable on her journey.

ANGUS STUART, another travelling companion, who has come to La Ronde to meet the Countess.

CHRISTINA, foster-sister of Count Polda, who is an American. He follows her, over the hills, to the drawing room. Going to Christina's room, she finds her bed unmade in. Aunt Cosy finds her in the body of Mr. Poole, who hurries to Miss Polda. She takes her to the chief of police to tell her so. The Countess is angry because Lily went near Mr. Poole.

MR. FORTING. He arrives, to explain that he cannot stay for dinner. The Count and Countess seem annoyed, and persuade him to go to the Casino. He agrees to give Lily a lovely little antique box he has bought for an old woman at the Casino.

WALKING down the hill a week later, Lily comes across Mr. Poole. He takes her to the chief of police to tell her so. The Countess is angry because Lily went near Mr. Poole.

COUNT BEPO POLDA, charming old man, who has been introduced to Lily. Lily sees that Beppo has the gold box Mr. Forting had offered her for a cigarette case. The Countess says he bought it at Milan.

CHAPTER XVII

The Snuff Box

Mr. Poole, Angus Stuart and Lily wandered about, all over the Casino, and then they went across to the Hotel de Paris and Poole.

Mr. Poole, the young Gentleman and the elderly Frenchman vied with one another in "fussing" over their guest, and Lily felt happy and exhilarated—what a delightful day she was having!

"And now," said Mr. Poole at last,

"I fear it is time that I fulfilled my promise of escorting you back to La Solitude. Mademoiselle."

"I hope you will allow me—" began Captain Stuart, but before he could finish his sentence, Lily exclaimed, "Why, there's Beppo!"

Beppo, said Lily, had offered her a cigarette case.

"I propose taking Miss Fairfield for a drive first. There was a touch of hasty decision in the young count's voice. It was not that he resented Mr. Poole's apparent friendship with Lily, but already he reciprocated Angus Stuart's sudden unreasoning dislike.

"Beppo," said Lily, rather awkwardly, "this is Captain Stuart. Captain Stuart, my I introduce my cousin, Count Beppo Polda!"

The two men looked at one an-

other with a long, measuring glance, then they shook hands frigidly.

As they were making their way to the door, Lily fell behind for a moment by Angus Stuart's side. "Perhaps you shall find your letter at La Solitude," she whispered. She added: "I hope I shall."

His thin, keen face lit up. "D'you really mean that?"

"Of course, I do!"

She shook hands with him and with Mr. Poole; and a few moments later the car was going at a good pace past the Casino, in the opposite direction, which would have taken them up to the hotel.

"Captain Stuart is old friend of yours," said Beppo abruptly.

"That is very true," said Lily definitely.

"But there can be no such doubt about the word love."

The motor slowed down. They were now looking across the great green promontory which juts out into the blue sea to the left of Monte Carlo.

"I wish I could stay on a little longer," said Beppo in a low voice.

"What a cursed thing in money! Still, poor mortals can't do without it. So I shall go back to Rome to-morrow to make another lucky hit eh?" Then I shall come back, and perhaps stay up at La Solitude. Shall I be welcome, Lily?"

She looked up at him. "Yes," she said slowly. "Of course you will be welcome, Beppo. Your return will be welcome to me, and also to your mother."

"I wonder if you know how much they care for you? They really live for you, and for nothing else, Beppo!"

To her surprise he looked disturbed and troubled, and suddenly said rapidly. "And I, seriously? I feel really know very little about them."

Lily was indeed astonished. "I don't understand," she exclaimed.

"What exactly do you mean, Beppo? Somehow they seemed to have come much nearer to me after the last two or three minutes for Beppo's dear, sincere words had in it a note of shyness which surprised the girl, and made her far more really kindly to him than she had done yet."

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They drove on, and Lily told herself that it was very pleasant to be motorised through this beautiful country, while listening to Beppo's full, caressing voice.

They were nearing La Solitude when Lily beheld herself of what had happened in the restaurant about the gold snuff-box. "Ask me anything you like," he exclaimed gaily.

"And I promise that you shall have a true answer!"

"It's only," she said, rather nervous, "that I wish you would show me that lovely little cigarette-box again, Beppo. Is it really true that you bought it in Milan?"

**Miss Campbell Tells
Of Work in India**

The Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., held its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at headquarters, Hamley Building, with the regent, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read, also reports of the treasurer, Echoes secretary and educational secretary. The chapter accepted all members of the Daughters of the Empire who intend being present at the memorial service this morning at the Armories to be there at 10 o'clock. Mrs. Gordon Smith, Echoes secretary, asks that all primary chapters send in their reports to her by the third week in January, so that they may be included in the year book.

A most interesting and informal talk on the work of the Zenana Bible and Medical Mission and I.O.D.E. work in India was given by Miss Mary Campbell, of Winnipeg, who most graphically described the appalling conditions among the natives.

The young members of the Princess Mary Chapter, of Victoria, Queen Mary High School in Bamberg, are most interested in their work, and are taught to weave and sew in addition to their regular school work; also there is a splendid company of Girl Guides established.

The I.O.D.E. in Canada provides for twelve beds in the great Canadian hospital at Calcutta, a hospital which is doing wonderful work, staffed with Canadian nurses, and run with Canadian capital.

The pathetic lot of the child widow in India was touched upon by Miss Campbell, whose experiences in the country make her exceptionally able to describe the sad state of affairs. The work of the I.O.D.E. schools and hospitals reaps a great reward, many of the children who are taken in grow up to be teachers, medical missionaries, and in their turn help to teach others who are in less fortunate positions.

Miss Campbell closed her address with an appeal for help in the work of the I.O.D.E. in India. The sum of \$75 will support a native nurse or a cot in the hospital for one year, while \$25 will support a native child for the same period of time.

Ladysmith Audience
Sees "My Irish Rose"

LADYSMITH, Nov. 26.—"My Irish Rose," a comedy drama of Irish life, was staged last evening at the Rialto Theatre, and was undoubtedly a tremendous success. The theatre was sold out and the audience were most appreciative.

Miss E. Robertson and Mr. McKay, in their leading roles, filled them in a most dramatic manner. The others of the cast took their parts with equal efficiency. During the intermissions, solo songs were rendered by the following: Miss J. Greenhorn, Mr. Hobbs, Mr. Bearie and Mr. Brod.

Victoria Review—The regular meeting of Victoria Review No. 1, W.B.A., was held Tuesday in K. of C. Hall, Government Street, committee reporting that final arrangements had been made for the bazaar to be held Saturday, December 3, in K. of C. Hall, beginning at 2 p.m. by Dr. Clem Davies. A benefit dance will be held the same evening at 8:30. At the close of the meeting a social dance was enjoyed by a large number.

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Sale of Work Held By Langford Ladies

St. Mathew's Church Guild Convenes Successful Bazaar and Nets Goodly Sum

LANGFORD, Nov. 26.—A most successful sale of work was held yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Smedley by the ladies of St. Mathew's Church Guild. Buying was keen and very little was left on the tables two hours after the sale opened.

Mrs. E. Goucher had charge of the plain and fancy work stall, which displayed many beautiful things. Mrs. H. A. Hincks did an excellent business at the home cooking and candy stall. Miss M. Goucher had a delicious chocolate. Mrs. H. Pennington won the prize with her estimate of 115, being nearest to the correct number, which was 118.

Afternoon tea was served by Messengers W. C. Thorburn, J. S. Yates, F. Smedley, G. A. Heal and Miss N. Wilson.

The ladies were jubilant at the sum realized, and are very grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Smedley for their assistance and for the use of their home, as well as to the residents of the district for their hearty co-operation and support.

Navy League May Be Reorganized

New Effort Will Be Made to Resuscitate Organization in Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Nov. 26.—At a meeting of citizens held in the Foresters' Hall Wednesday evening, steps were taken towards organizing a branch of the Navy League of Canada. Mr. R. Harris, Dominion president, and Mr. Ross, representing the Navy League, Victoria, addressed the gathering. Major Harrison occupying the chair.

Mr. Harris explained that two million dollars was raised at the outset, which was distributed among Canadian Marine and naval sailors' homes in England and to endear sailors' homes in Canada. Today a pension fund is in existence, doing splendid work among dependents of men who gave their lives for valor. The league was also doing excellent work in establishing homes for sailors in many ports of Canada. The Navy League training embodied discipline and patriotism, which laid the foundation for good citizenship.

Mr. Raynor said that Nanaimo was ideally situated for a Navy League, and he thought the time most opportune for the resuscitation of the league in the district. The Dominion organizer had promised Nanaimo that a competent organizer should assist with the work until the association was on a sound footing.

Major Harrison said he believed the Province of B.C. a suitable setting for a branch of the organization under present conditions. The Dominion organizer had promised Nanaimo that a competent organizer should assist with the work until the association was on a sound footing.

In an open discussion that followed, it was decided to appoint a committee to investigate the conditions and call a meeting at a later date, when steps will be taken to complete organization. Major Harrison was chosen as chairman of the temporary committee, with Mr. J. C. Dakin and Mrs. F. Reynolds as assistants.

To Hear Address On Health Work

ROYAL OAK, Nov. 26.—A meeting will be held in St. Michael's Church Hall, West Road, on Friday evening, when the work of the Saanich Health Centre and also of the proposed Solarium or "Sun Cure" for crippled children at Mill Bay will be handled by the following speakers: Dr. C. Fewshaw, president; and Mr. L. Nixon, who announced that the Bible classes being conducted by Dr. Hills on Sundays in Strawberry Vale Hall wished to add to their numbers. A cordial invitation was extended to all who desire to join the class to attend the next regular meeting on Sunday, November 29.

Young People's Society Has Been Formed

COURTENAY, Nov. 25.—The United Church of Canada, recently formed, is making a special effort to gain the ear and interest of the young people who attend her services. A young people's programme has been prepared by the National Young People's Board, and will be followed by all "groups" throughout the Dominion. The membership age is eighteen to twenty-five years.

The pallbearers, who were sons of pioneer residents, were as follows: Messrs. A. Macdonald, R. Brethour, C. Moses, A. Downey, L. Hurth and W. Johns.

As a mark of respect, the trustees of the local school decided that the school remain closed for the afternoon.

The passing of Mr. Towner seen the ranks of the pioneers fast disappearing, and testimony to this fact was shown by the large attendance at the funeral of representatives of pioneer families.

Deep Cove Notes

DEEP COVE, Nov. 26.—Mr. L. O. Peterson was a weekend visitor to Victoria.

The Social Club will hold a concert and dance in the club hall on Friday evening, when the programme will be presented by the Brentwood concert party. Previous entertainments given by this talented group of artists have proved to be thoroughly enjoyable in every respect, and there is no doubt that they will be favored by a large attendance.

Mr. George Rangster, who has been attending the fair at Portland for the last few days, returned home yesterday, bringing with him four Jersey cows.

Mr. R. Layard and children, who have been visiting on Salt Spring Island as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Wilson, have returned to their home at the Cove.

Mr. W. Bowman, who has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Newmarket, Patricia Bay, has returned home.

The weekly card party was held in the club hall on Monday evening, several tables being engaged in play with five hundred and bridge, the ladies' prime being won by Miss Evelyn Moore and the gentlemen's prize by Mr. Wallace, of Sluggers.

Mr. Jim Copithorne, who has been visiting his mother at Cochrane, Alta., expects to return to his home at the Cove at the beginning of December.

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Board Learns of Selective Plan Of Migration

Fishing Regulations Are Submitted Affecting the Cowichan Lake and River and Adjacent Waters

Cowichan Bay Spur Line

DUNCAN, Nov. 26.—The quarterly general meeting of the Duncan Board of Trade was held last evening at the Agricultural Building, with President, Mr. W. C. Tanner, in the chair. Mr. H. Godfrey, late of the Soldiers' Settlement Board, and now employed by the Government in connection with the Empire Settlement Scheme, under which the Imperial and Canadian Governments co-operate in settling 3,000 selected British families in Canada, addressed the board in detail to the meeting. It was planned to settle these people on reverted S.S.B. lands. A number of families had been brought to Canada under this scheme last year, and these were apparently making good, including one family located near Duncan. The members of the Board of Trade to appoint a committee to consider such settlers upon arrival in the district, and to assist in making their first impression a favorable one. The board decided to adopt the suggestion, and appointed a colonization reception committee.

Fishing Regulations

Major Rattray, chairman of the board's fisheries committee, brought forward a resolution to be approved, dealing with proposed amendments to the Dominion Fishing Regulations applying to Cowichan Lake, Cowichan River and adjacent waters. These changes, he said, had been approved by the Cowichan Fish and Game Association, and also by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Fisheries Officers, and Mr. C. H. Dickie, M.P., had promised to support the suggested changes if approved by both the Board of Trade and the Fish and Game Associations by resolution. There was no doubt about the department meeting the wishes of the board in regard to the changes, and the following changes in the seasons for gongling are urged in the resolution:

Trot—April 1 to October 31. Below the Duncan River Bridge, March 1 to October 31.
Steelheads—December 15 to March 15.

Chum Salmon—In the sea area closed to commercial fishing, season not to open before October 15.

Walrus—Not to be placed in the river before May 1. Openings between flats not to be less than three inches. Width of each side to be open from Saturday noon to Monday noon, and Wednesday noon to Thursday noon in each week. The open third of the weir to be in the main channel of the river.

Tidal waters and estuary of the Cowichan to be patrolled by a fishery officer in small launch, detailed for this special service, from September to May, inclusive.

Want Spur Line

Mr. H. A. Stewart, of Victoria, divisional freight superintendent of the C.N.R., will be invited to meet the members of the board to discuss the recent resolution asking for the construction of a freight ferry slip at Cowichan Bay for the benefit of Duncan merchants, and also the question of constructing a spur line into Duncan.

Pioneer Is Laid to Rest

DEEP COVE, Nov. 26.—The body of the late William Towner, who had been a resident of North Saanich for over sixty years, and who passed away on Monday last at Resthaven Sanitarium, was laid to rest in the family plot at Patricia Bay on Thursday afternoon.

The body was taken from the B.C. Funeral Chapel to his late residence in Deep Cove, where interment was made at 2:15 o'clock for Holy Trinity Church, Patricia Bay, where an impressive service was conducted by the Rector, the Rev. T. M. Hughes, in the presence of a very large number of friends and residents of the district.

During the service two hymns were sung, "Rock of Ages" and "Forever With Thee." The service requiesce was followed by Mr. C. E. White, who presided at the organ.

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Holds Social Auction

COURTENAY, Nov. 26.—Last night the basement of St. George's Presbyterian Church was the scene of a social affair and supper. The room was well filled with ladies for the various articles of needlework and home cooking.

The ladies of St. George's had secured the services of Mr. E. F. Thomas, and the various lots were disposed of in a lively manner.

The supper consisted of flapjacks and syrup, cakes and coffee, and was much enjoyed. While the refreshments were being served, Mr. L. Moody and Mr. Stuart Smith entertained the company with musical selections. Mr. Thomas, who kindly gave his services, was assisted by Mrs. W. Brown and Mrs. Percy Booth, cashier. The proceeds amounted to close on £100.

The Rev. W. T. Bagtelle acted as chairman for the evening.

Ladysmith News

LADYSMITH, Nov. 26.—Rev. Edwin and Mrs. Moss attended the Deans meeting, which was held in Duncan on Tuesday. Also Miss Robinson, an delegate from the St. John's Church, Ladysmith.

The Ladysmith Agricultural Society will hold a card party and grand drawing in the Agricultural Hall on December 1.

A memorial service will be conducted at the church of Rev. Edwin Moss in St. John's Church on Friday, at 11 a.m. in respect of the late Queen Mother Alexandra.

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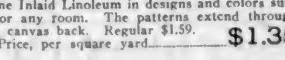
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No man who needs a new suit, perhaps an extra one just for business wear, should overlook this wonderful offering for today. These suits are tailored from serviceable tweeds in dark grey and brown shades. They are expertly made and a perfect fit is assured. Smart two and three-button models; trousers with plain or cuff bottoms; all sizes. \$19.95 Sale Price, with two pairs of trousers.

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Fine Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb. 55¢

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Choice Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb. 47¢

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Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. 24¢

3 lbs. for 70¢

Selected Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb. 30¢

3 lbs. for 90¢

Hudson's Bay Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. 65¢

3 lbs. for 195¢

Hudson's Bay Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. 45¢

3 lbs. for 135¢

Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, per lb. 29¢

3 lbs. for 87¢

Fine Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lb. paper sack, \$1.25

Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, per lb. 19¢

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Note specially the bargains for morning shoppers only, on this and the preceding page. Quantities in most instances are limited, so to avoid disappointment, better be here early. Our Department Managers' Sale proceeds with unabated interest, for as lines are sold out fresh bargains take their place. Now is a good time to start your Christmas shopping, while stocks are complete and prices exceptionally low.

Moccasin Gift Slippers

At Reduced Prices

Men's Brown Elk Moccasin Slippers
Regular \$2.75, Sale Price, per pair.....\$2.20

Women's Moccasin Slippers
In purple, green, sand, suede leather, heavily
beaded, fur trimmed. Regular \$3.00. Sale Price,
per pair.....\$2.45

Women's Hair Seal Slippers
Fur outside, wool lined. Regular \$2.75. Sale
Price, per pair.....\$2.25

Infants' Moccasin Slippers
Sizes 3 to 7, in brown and grey suede leather,
bead ornaments, fur trimmed. Regular \$1.00.
Sale Price, per pair.....\$0.70
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Pongee Silk Blouses

Values to \$6.95 for \$3.98

Heavy Quality Silk Pongee Blouses, with Peter Pan
or roll collars, finished with narrow knife pleating.
Another style has neat boyish collar, all have long
sleeves with neat fitting cuffs. Shown in natural
only; sizes 34 to 46, but not all sizes in any one
style. Values to \$6.95.
Sale Price.....\$3.98
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Dependable Hosiery

At Lower Prices

Silk and Wool Hose
With wide hemmed tops and reinforced heels and toes. Shown in cinnamon and white, coating and white, putty and white; also self shades of grey, sand, camel, meadow lark and black. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular \$1.25. Sale Price, per pair,.....\$0.98
—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

Pure Thread Silk Hose
Also Chiffon Silk Hose; choice of wide hem or elastic ribbed tops, reinforced at heels and toes. Shown in sunset, log cabin, Pablo, Brown, Airedale and dawn. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular \$1.50. Sale Price, per pair.....\$1.29
—Main Floor, H.B.C.

New Gift Handbags

Values to \$2.75 for \$1.49

Suede and Novelty Grained Leather Handbags, in pouch and underarm styles, neatly lined throughout and fitted with coin purse and mirror; shown in grey, jade, fawn, red and black patent leather. Values to \$2.75.
Sale Price.....\$1.49
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Gift Suggestions for Art Needleworkers

Pillow Cases
Stamped on excellent quality tubular cotton, new designs for button hole or crochet finish. Sale Price, per pair.....\$1.60

Laundry Bags
Stamped and made-up of good strong material, requiring very little work to complete. Sale Price.....\$0.65, \$1.10 and \$1.50

Tea Cloths With Four Serviettes
Stamped on white and colored needleweave, effective designs. Sale Price.....\$0.40

Unbleached Cotton Crib Covers
With pillow to match; applique design.....\$1.50
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Women's Umbrellas.

Reduced to \$2.98

Serviceable Umbrellas, with good wearing
gloria covers, strong English frames, long
or chubby style, finished with white or amber
tips and novelty handles, with leather strap
or silk cord loop. Regular \$3.50. Sale Price
\$2.98
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Novelty Handkerchiefs

Regular 25c, for 19c

Rayon Silk Handkerchiefs in various novelty designs; choice of flesh, pansy, cherry, mauve, peach, sky, maize, also two-tone effects. Regular 25c. Sale Price, each.....\$1.9c
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Morning Special
9 to 12 Only

100 Bandeau Brassieres

Suitable for various
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broche and novelty rep,
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panels of heavy surgical webbing,
lightly boned over the diaphragm and at back, side
front fastening, tape straps,
three sets of bone supporters;
sizes 32 to 44. Values to \$5.50.
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Women's Pyjamas

Made from splendid quality
white flannelette, two-piece
garments, with V neck and short
sleeves, trimmed with
colored stitching; sizes 36 to 40.
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cotton, easy designs for
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Boys' English Knickers

Made from dark brown Donegal
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sizes 4 to 12 years. Sale Price,
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Boys' Eton Caps

English Made Blue Melton
Caps in the popular Eton
style; 48 only to clear, in
sizes to fit boys 3 to 14
years. Morning Special

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Boys' Reeffers

Small boys' reeffers, made from
good quality blue nap, double-
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boys 2 to 6 years. Sale Price,
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black and white. Regular
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Made of good quality rub-
berized cotton. Sizes 2, 3
and 4. Regular 25c. Sale
Price, per pair.....19c

Shoe Trees
Of smooth finished wood.
Regular 15c. Sale Price, 2
pairs for.....25c

Cash's Fancy Trimming
Suitable for finishing lin-
gerie and children's wear.
Shows in white, pink, white
with blue, white with red,
also white with pink. Regular
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Patent Leather, Black Kid and Black Suede One
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Black Kid, Brown Calf, Tan Calf and Black Calf
Strap Shoes and Oxfords, with Spanish and
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big assortment of styles to select from. All
sizes. Sale Price, per pair.....\$2.95

Men's Strap Shoes
Afternoon and Evening Strap Pumps, in novelty
and tailored styles, with covered Spanish, Cuban
and Louis heels, short vamp lasts. All sizes.
Sale Price, per pair.....\$2.95

Men's Black Calf Boots and Oxfords
Black Kid Boots and Oxfords, with oak tanned Goodyear welted
soles, medium and round toe last; Blucher and
Balmoral styles. All sizes. Sale Price.....\$4.95

Men's Black Calf Boots and Brogues
Suitable shoes for business wear. Blucher and
Balmoral styles, with single and double tan
welted soles; smart lasts. All sizes. Sale
Price, per pair.....\$5.75

Men's Boots
Tan, Brown and Black Calf Boots, with Winter
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All sizes. Sale Price, per pair.....\$7.45
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Duchess Mousseline
Ideal weight for
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In a semi-rough finish; all
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Price, per yard.....\$5.00

Chiffon Silk Dress Velvets
All colors and black; 38
inches wide. Sale Price
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Silk Duvetins
In shades of copen, grey, brown, also navy and
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Price, per yard.....\$1.95

Corduroy Velvets
27-Inch Corduroy Velvets, in cardinal, brown,
Copenhagen, saff, sky, rose mauve, beaver and
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Suitable weight for dresses, slips and lingerie.
Shown in all the wanted colorings. Sale Price,
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A splendid silk for afternoon and evening wear.
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In all colors; 54 inches wide. Sale Price, per
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54 inches wide, in brown and beaver. Sale
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large. Will stand hard use.
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for.....\$0.30
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Nail Scrubs, 35c value.....\$0.25
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at.....\$0.30
Gin Pills, 50c value, 2 for.....\$0.60
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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

New York Americans Win First Hockey Game at Cougars' Expense

Bullet Joe Simpson Scores Only Goal of Match in Third Period—Vernon Forbes Saves His Team from Defeat—"Freddie" and Hart Star for Victoria

WINDSOR, Ont., Nov. 26.—Goalie Holmes relaxed his vigilance for a split second at the start of the third period and took a long contest between New York Americans and Victoria Cougars, champions of the world, and "Bullet Joe" Simpson, with unerring accuracy, found a vacant corner and scored the lone tally that brought a 1 to 0 victory to the Manhattan sextette. The big battle, the first for the former Hamilton team under the New York colors, was witnessed by 7,200 persons.

Victoria had a slight edge in the opening period and improved in the second, looking like winners as the teams got under way for the final twenty minutes. Vernon Forbes saved his team from defeat tonight and was the outstanding performer. Fredrickson and Hart starred for Victoria while Bureh and Burch were best for New York with Simpson and Randall turning in stellar performances for Gotham from a defensive standpoint.

The Only Goal

Two minutes after the third got under way, "Bullet Joe" Simpson raced down the right side of the ice, passed once or twice to Bureh, and

"Shorty" Green, and then drove a hot one that slipped over Holmes' stick in the left-hand corner of the net. That was the big break of the game and brought victory to the Manhattan crew.

The game was staged under a mixture of Eastern and Western codes, the former prevailing with the exception that the latter custom of kicking the puck and substitutions during the play were permitted.

The Line-Up
New York Victoria
Forbes Holmes
Randall Loughlin
Simpson Defence Fraser
Bureh Centre Fredrickson
S. Green Wing Hart
McKinnon Wing Walker
Langlois Sub Anderson
Bouchard Sub Sheppard
Morlais Sub Oatman
Cameron Sub Anderson
Cameron Sub Anderson
Referees—Mike Rodden, Toronto.
Summary

First Period—No score.
Second Period—No score.
Third Period—1. J. Simpson. New York, 1:00.

Jimmy Duffy Fights Draw With Joe Roche

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—Jimmy Duffy, Oakland welterweight, and Joe Roche, of San Francisco, fought a slashing ten-round draw in the main event of the San Mission Athletic Club program here today. The Oakland boy's cleverness was equalled by Roche's aggressiveness.

There were no clean knockdowns, but Duffy spun Roche around in the sixth with a hard right to the jaw and the San Francisco boy went to his knees. He was up without a count.

Prospect Lake Fishing

To the Sporting Editor:
Sir—In your issue of November 20 you published a letter from Mr. J. H. Gillespie regarding the construction of a proposed fish ladder at Prospect Lake and requesting the writer to furnish information as to what progress had been made.

I might say that an energetic committee of this association has had the matter in hand for some considerable time past and made a thorough inspection of Prospect Lake, including the outlet stream and the dam which obstructs it. The owners of the dam were approached and the question of compensation was discussed. It was easily arranged, it being understood that it would in no way interfere with their existing water supply. Following this the whole matter was laid before both the Provincial and Federal fisheries departments with a view to securing their approval, and the last was good enough to send one of their engineers to inspect the work and report on the matter, and I felt sure that as a result of his report that authority would be granted to proceed with the necessary construction. However, I was then advised that the approval of the Provincial Fisheries Department was first necessary, and I am sure that the commissioners at Ottawa desire to know "the quantities and varieties of fish which may be expected to be benefited by the proposed structure," so that apparently we have worked in a complete circle and are now back again where we started several months ago, notwithstanding the fact that the financial outlay was arranged.

The whole matter appears to be complicated by the fact that fish in non-tidal waters come under the joint jurisdiction of both the Federal and Provincial fisheries departments, each with the approval of the other, and I understand that the Game Conservation Association has a "finger in the pie" when it comes to letters pertaining to methods of fishing, such as the use of minnow eggs, etc.

Beyond the propagation and distribution of trout fry very little interest has been taken in the conservation of our game fishes; the efforts of our fisheries departments being almost entirely upon commercial fishes, and I think that the suggestion of a fish ladder purely for the benefit of trout fishing has somewhat upset the equilibrium of these departments. However, we intend to carry on with our endeavors to have the ladder in question constructed, in the hope that it may only be the forerunner of other similar works that should be undertaken in order to conserve our native game fishes.

In conclusion I should like to say that the chief Inspector, Dominion Fisheries Department, Vancouver, has always been most courteous in all matters submitted to him and has always been willing to assist in every way, but the fact of dual jurisdiction apparently makes it very difficult to get any action taken without innumerable delays.

I trust that the above will give Mr. Gillespie and others interested an idea of what we have done and the obstacles which beset us, though undoubtedly with the co-operation of all fishermen much necessary work can be undertaken which I am sure will be amply repaid by a great improvement in the fishing conditions of our lakes and streams.

R. G. MONTREITH
Secretary, Victoria and District Fish and Game Association.
1205 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C.
November 26, 1925.

Wine Marathon in Snow

BERWICK, Pa., Nov. 26.—Fred Wachemuth, Milrose A.C., New York, won the sixteen annual marathon over a snow-covered course of nine miles, 54 seconds. His time was 49 minutes, 54 seconds. Fourteen of the fifteen starters finished, all within 55 minutes.

Miller Barred From Playing on Mainland In Amateur Hockey

VANCOUVER, Nov. 26.—E. R. Miller, who played for Trail last winter, and before that performed at Victoria for two years, was the only name not sanctioned for the Vancouver Amateur Ice Hockey League by the Mainland committee of the British Columbia Amateur Association at a meeting here last evening.

Miller played baseball in Victoria during the summer, moved to Vancouver about a month ago, where he has secured employment. He signed with the Monarchs. President Percy Watson wrote from Victoria that Miller must not be given a card unless he lived up to the residence clause, which reads May 15.

Kiwanis Bowling Team Wins From Davenports

NANAIMO, Nov. 26.—The local Kiwanis bowling team took the odd point from the Davenports in a bowling fixture played last night. E. Geddes, high man with 202 pins, and W. Ferguson was high average with 172 pins.

The scores were:
Kiwanis
J. Galbraith 177 187 118
E. Geddes 156 126 145
W. Burnip 185 144 122
H. Hannan 169 151 155
W. Ferguson 158 185 179
Total 846 746 719
Grand total, 2310.

Davenports
T. Florene 87 164 185
M. Gleason 157 152 180
J. Barber 143 124 178
E. Bedola 107 183 202
W. Shepherd 123 197 123
Total 697 700 869
Grand total, 2266.

Victoria Ladies Win Golf Match at Uplands

An interclub team match played at the Uplands Golf Club yesterday afternoon between Victoria Golf Club and Uplands Golf Club ladies' teams was won by the former by six matches to two, as follows:

Victoria
Mrs. Hutchinson 1 Mrs. Wilding 0
Miss Mara 0 Mrs. Boyd 1
Miss M. Wilson 1 Mrs. Fairbairn 0
Mr. Lambert 1 Mrs. Pocock 0
Mrs. Lennox 1 Mrs. Saunders 0
Mrs. Gedfrey 1 Mrs. Niclson 0
Mrs. King 0 Mrs. Harton 1
Mrs. Howell 1 Mrs. Hepburn 0
Total 6 Total 5

C.P.S. Basketball

The Canadian Fugit Round Lumber Company amateur basketball team will journey to Bellingham on Saturday, November 28, to play the Bellingham basketball team. The following players are asked to meet at the Y.M.C.A. at 7 p.m.: Mannie Norton, L. Greenwood, E. J. Harwood, Buck Rutledge, Scottie Dowdy, Gordon Woodbridge, Geo. Davis, Ken Carlyle.

Pittsburgh Win First Pro Game By Defeating Bostonian Bruins

BOSTON, Nov. 26.—The Pittsburgh Yellow Jackets, now the Pirates, stepped from the rank of amateur to the top to defeat the Bruins of Boston in the opening game of the National Hockey League. The score was two to one.

The Boston Arena was jammed with a holiday crowd to see Pittsburgh's first appearance as professionals, and the former Western club of the Amateur Association proved themselves a far stronger offensive team than the more seasoned Bostonians.

Stuart, of Boston, shot the first goal of the game when he outskated the defense in the second period. His score was followed less than ten minutes later by an easy slide into the Boston net from Conacher's stick.

In the third period, Darragh, on a pass from Drury, shot the winning point into Boston's cage after nine

Washington Wins

SEATTLE, Nov. 26.—The Oregon Web-Posters gave the University of Washington Huskies the score of their lives here today when they threatened to mar Washington's perfect season record. The final score was Washington 18; Oregon 14; but in the last few minutes of the game a drive toward the Husky goal line ended by a dangerously narrow margin.

By the victory today Washington is undisputed champion of the Pacific Coast conference.

Falcons Will Be At Top Strength

Big Crowd Expected to Take in First International Basketball Match of Season

Everything is in readiness for the international basketball game between the Victoria Falcons and the Seattle Spalding five tomorrow night at the Y.M.C.A. As this is the first international hoop game of the season, the public is expected to turn out to see the Americans in action. Everything is "sitting pretty" for the preliminary game, the girls being all primed to go at the first tint of the whistle. The Normal team has had to make a late minute change in its line-up. Audrey Jones will be unable to turn out so she will be replaced by a girl in the crowd. Alice Main, who has selected to handle the girls' game, which will start at 8 o'clock sharp.

Frank Jefferies, late of the St. Mary's team, will be wearing the Falcon colors tomorrow night. Frank plays centre, and when he has worked into the style of play he should prove a very valuable addition to the team. However, whether Captain Jack McKenzie will use him in the big game remains to be seen. Skillings may also be able to play, and if this is the case then the locals will have eight players on their rosters when they meet the Seattle boys.

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Play Is Started for Chess Championship

The annual chess tournament for the Victoria championship has now started and four games have already been played.

In the first game Dawkins met Enke with a Sicilian defence, and until well into the game Enke had an advantage as his opponent had his pieces crowded and badly placed.

However, after a liquidation in the centre, Enke obtained a slight advantage, which through allowing the forcing of his centre pawns, led to a win.

In a Bird's opening played by Enke against a strong name, White had a close one, with White for a long time attempting to win a backward pawn on the King's file. Ultimately the position was broken up on the Queen's side, and at this time when Merchant threatened a mate on the move, Enke started what would, if properly analyzed, have been a series of checks that would have lost him the game. However, with an innocent reply he obtained sufficient advantage to win after a long Toook and Pawns ending: the game going to seventy-seven moves.

In Dawkins vs. Harker, the former also played the Bird's, and at no time did either inferior until he overlooked the draw and lost.

Merchant, however, with a score of 3 to 2, had the second match with a score of 7 to 5. The closeness of the scores in the two games shows how evenly the teams are matched and the winner of today's match will, no doubt, be in the dark until fine whisks sound. Shulman's tie with Merchant will be declared the champion, as they have a four-point lead in the total points scored.

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At the Playhouses

"Abie's Irish Rose" Draws Good House

Breezy Comedy Presented at Royal Victoria Theatre Full of Humorous Situations

As a tonic for the "blues" as a dispenser of all depression or sadness, the record-breaking comedy, "Abie's Irish Rose," now playing at the Royal Victoria Theatre, may be heartily recommended. The play is exceedingly witty, the dialogue being especially clever, and a most enthusiastic audience showed its appreciation of last night's performance by prolonged repeated applause.

Briefly, the story is as follows: Solomon Levy (Arthur Rose) is anxious for his attractive young son Abraham (Welden Heyburn) to marry a "real Jewish girl," in the event of which he has promised to start Abe in business. Abe also has done a little thinking in the matrimonial line, and brings home a pretty little girl whom he introduces as Miss Murphie, to ward off his father's anger when he should find out that the girl is a real daughter of Erin.

Solomon takes a great fancy to the girl and decides that Abe must marry her. He is completely ignorant that they are already man and wife, having been married by a Methodist minister. The Cohen family, including Abe's mother, a lady who cannot forget her appendix, and her husband (Jacob Frank), somewhat timid and a bit of a trial to his wife, introduce Abe to his new bride, and between them are instrumental in patching things up and reconciling the two families.

The wedding takes place, during which Rosemary's father arrives upon the scene. This causes some trouble between the two fathers. The Jewish priest Father Whalen (Joseph Monehan) and the Jewish Rabbi, Jacob Samuels (Rosa Gibson) recognise each other as fellow padres during the war, and between them are instrumental in patching things up and reconciling the two families.

In the last act, which is a scene in Abie's and Rosemary's flat one year later, some unforeseen coincidences, and the introduction of two small but very important people, leave the audience rocking with laughter.

Dorothy Coghlan as Rosemary is charming in her role of Abie's Irish Rose. Her handling of the delicate situations, in which she completely captivates her father-in-law, is splendidly done.

Welden Heyburn, the good-looking and debonair Abe, brings a lovable character into the story, and his splendid acting and engaging personality completely remove any prejudices the Irish father-in-law has against the audience.

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**A Great Suit and Over-
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Night Watchman
Slugged by Would-Be
Customs Office Thief

VANCOUVER, Nov. 26.—T. Sherwood was not badly injured and was released from the hospital shortly after his arrival there. According to the workingmen in the postoffice at the time, he went to Sherwood's aid but was too late to be of assistance, when he accosted the men he was struck with the butt of a revolver. The bandit at once jumped into a big automobile and fled.

The college student is often broke before he shows any decided bent.

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**Slight Tremors
Are Felt Here**

Rumbling Sound Accompanies
Quake of Local Origin—Felt
in Six Districts

Slight earth tremors were felt at 1:37 p.m. yesterday in Victoria, and also in Oak Bay, Esquimalt, Cloverdale, Royal Oak and Elk Lake. Mr. Napier Denison, of the meteorological observatory, Gonzales Heights, announced in Victoria.

The tremors were accompanied by a rumbling sound and lasted from two to three seconds as felt. It was recorded on all seismographs at Gonzales Heights observatory, but its movement was very small, not being more than a 15,000th of an inch.

Previous records of the movement was strong from the same spot, lasting forty seconds, its recorded time according to the instruments. The recorded time in the movement from north to south was thirty seconds.

Its distance from the observatory was probably six miles. Mr. Denison believes it was situated in the Strait of Juan de Fuca.

One Year for Manslaughter

ARCOLA, Sask., Nov. 26.—One year's imprisonment with deportation to follow was the sentence imposed here yesterday on A. Petersen, found guilty of the manslaughter of his employer, H. Greenwood, Alida farmer, who died in Regina, as a result of wounds said to have been inflicted by Petersen with a pitchfork May 11.

**WHO IS YOUR SKINNY
FRIEND, ETHEL?**

Tell him to take McCoy's Cod Liver Extract Tablets for a couple of months and get enough good, healthy flesh on his bones to look like a real man.

Tell him it's the only way to take those grave-like hollows from his cheeks and neck.

Tell him that thousands of thin, puny, weak, scrawny men all over America have improved their physical health and appearance and bloomed the day they first heard of these wonderful sugar coated tablets so full of weight producing vitamins.

Ask for McCoy's Cod Liver Extract Tablets. You can get them at your druggist. Farlans Drug Co., Owl Drug Co., and every druggist sells them—40 tablets—50 cents. Any thin man or woman can put on five pounds of healthy flesh in 30 days or your druggist is authorized to refund the purchase price.

One woman put on 15 pounds in six weeks. Children grow robust and strong—feebler old people feel younger in a few weeks. (Advt.)

**Surplus Will Occur, Says Minister,
Notwithstanding Tax Reductions**

An estimated surplus of \$112,844.65 for the fiscal year 1926-27 was predicted by Hon. J. D. Macleod, Minister of Finance, in his budget speech to the Legislature yesterday afternoon. Anticipated surpluses were computed at \$18,559,394.65, and estimated expenditures at \$18,247,052.05. This surplus would occur, the Minister said, notwithstanding the tax reductions which he had announced in connection with income tax.

"The revenue receipts," he said, "show an increase of \$119,896 over those of last year, made up chiefly in timber and mining receipts with slight increases in personal property and income. The expenditures show an increase of \$53,384.00."

"The departments showing increases are as follows: Agricultural Department, \$46,230, on account of tubercular cattle compensation and grasshopper extermination appropriations; education, \$117,590, increases in per capita grants to schools and grants to University; Department of Mines, \$23,020, increase in Mines Development Act; appropriation and additional analytical staff; Department of Public Works, \$315,325, for roads and bridges and public buildings; the latter with maintenance and repairs to public buildings throughout the Province; capital expenditures interest on P.G.E. guaranteed stock, and repairs to New Westminster bridge.

The decreases are: Public debt, \$422,204.65, made up of \$264,000 P.G.E. interest transferred to capital as interest on guaranteed stock and elimination of interest on \$312,000 debentures which mature on December 1 next; Department of Finance, \$2,695; Fisheries, \$200; Labor, \$6,980; Lands, \$11,035, and Provincial Secretary's Department, \$200,261."

Estimated Revenue and Expenditure, 1926-27

	Revenue	Expenditure
\$3,266,458.05	\$3,266,458.05	
127,500.00	127,500.00	
27,000.00	27,000.00	
9,396,150.65	9,396,150.65	
31,000.00	31,000.00	
1,000.00	1,000.00	
4,090,000.00	4,090,000.00	
2,000.00	2,000.00	
166,750.00	166,750.00	
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Surplus estimated revenue over estimated expenditure.....

**British Laborites
Warn Mussolini**

Government Informed of Hostile
Reception Awaiting Italian
Premier on Visit

LONDON, Nov. 26.—Premier Mussolini of Italy is assured an unfriendly reception from the followers of the Independent Labor Party, the Socialist wing of the Labor movement, if he comes to London on December 4 for the signing of the Locarno security pact.

The national council of the party yesterday issued a warning to the

Government that any official visit by Mussolini would be resented by all sections of the public which respect liberty.

It also called upon the workers "to be prepared to express their condemnation of the cruel oppression of labor and the Socialist movement in Italy by a united and effective protest should it be necessary."

Soviet Minister Arrives

PARIS, Nov. 26.—George Tchitcherin, Soviet Foreign Minister, arrived in Paris early today. Mr. Tchitcherin is said to be expected to leave for the south of France within a day or two. His present trip, he asserted, is not connected with any diplomatic negotiations.



**"If I only had your lovely skin,
Alice!"**

"Mine is so bad, not even
rouge and powder do any
good. But anyone would
think you had just got back
from vacation. What's the
secret?"

"Why, Alice, there's no secret.
I could have told you long ago,
but I felt I couldn't speak it
until you asked me. My doctor
told me that constipation was the
cause of most skin troubles.
Poisons from the waste matter
are passed through the body
and carried to all parts of the body,
especially the skin. They're
reducing my skin, too, until he
prescribed Nujol for me. Nujol
stopped the constipation and my
complexion began to improve
right away. Try it for a week
or two

Finance and Commerce

**Spectacular Jump
Made by Wheat**

Bullish Sentiment Gives Winnipeg Futures Sudden Boost on Heavy Buying

WINNIPEG, Nov. 26.—Deferred futures featured trading on the local wheat market today and a spectacular advance was recorded, July touching a record of \$1.52 1/4, compared with \$1.45 on Wednesday, an overnight gain of 6 1/4 cents. November and May closed at record high levels and July prices up. Public buying on an extensive scale, largely in the deferred futures, was the outstanding factor in the rapid advance. Sentiment was very bullish and there was heavy buying coming through commission houses. The only selling pressure came from those who were taking profit. Exporters were doing very little and stated overnight acceptances had been very light. Grain men admitted that the Argentine holds the key to the trend of prices during the next few weeks.

Coarse grains and flax experienced a light day of trading. The price movement, however, was on the up-grade, featured by an advance of 5 1/4 to 5 3/4 cents per bushel.

Month	Open	High	Low	Closes
Nov.	138 3/4	140 1/4	138 3/4	140 1/4
Dec.	140 1/4	142 1/4	139 3/4	142 1/4
May	144	147 1/4	144	147 1/4
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**All-Wool Cardigans**

New Styles for Women and Misses Among Our Best Values for Today

At \$2.95

Brushed Wool Cardigans in plain style, made with five button fasteners and two patch pockets. Knitted from medium weight yarn, and suitable for either matrons or misses. Shades are lawn and pearl only. Sizes 36 to 42. Each

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At \$3.95

Cardigans with plain back and sleeves, and front designed with stripes of brushed wool. They have two pockets and five button fasteners. All-Over Pattern Cardigans in different designs, fawn, oak and other good shades. Each

\$3.95

At \$4.75

Brushed Wool and Plain Knit Cardigans, made from pure yarn and shown in plain styles, with two pockets. They are very attractive Sweaters. Shown in fawn, cinder, navy, black and pansy. Shown in assorted sizes. Each

\$4.75

At \$5.95

All-Wool Plain Knit Cardigans, with two patch pockets and five button fasteners. They are finished with colored design in contrasting shade around bottom. Shades are fawn with brown, grey with blue, navy and grey. Sizes 36 to 40. Each

\$5.95

At \$7.95

Very Pretty Coat Sweaters, with plain back and sleeves and floral design effect in front, in many shades. They are finished with self shade collar; fawn, pearl, sheepskin, with designs in many colors

\$7.95

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

Children's Flannelette Pajamas

Very Best Values at

\$1.75 and \$2.00

White Flannelette Pajamas in two-piece style, the coat is in a pretty style, with side fastening and piped with blue or yellow, the pants are finished with elastic at waist and pretty frill at ankle; sizes for 6 to 14 years. Special Price

\$1.75

White Flannelette Pajamas in neat two-piece style, straight coat with frog fastenings and frill at ankle of pants. Sizes for ages 6 to 16 years. At a suit

\$1.75 and \$2.00

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

The Celebrated English "K" Shoes

For Men and Women

At \$10.00

Men's "K" Oxfords in Blucher style, Winter weight; black or brown calfskin.

Women's "K" Brogues, in black or brown calfskin.

Women's "K" Glace Kid Oxfords with military heels, smart last.

Revelation Shoes for Women

Are truly a revelation of comfort to all who wear them. Being light and flexible they tend to support and strengthen the foot muscles in the correct way without the aid of clumsy supports.

Oxfords in brown and black. A pair

\$11.00

Boots in black kid. A pair

\$13.50

"WELL BEGUN IS HALF DONE"

Start-Rite Shoes for Children

Are made with a specially constructed heel and concealed in-step support, designed to correct any tendency to weak ankles and insteps. If your child has foot trouble see this famous English shoe. Shown in Oxfords in brown or black calf, in sizes 7 to 3½. At

\$4.50 to \$6.75

—Shoe Sections, Main and 1st Floors

Newest Styles in Suede Fabric Gloves

At \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

Hand-Sewn Suede Fabric Gloves of good weight for Winter wear; shown in chamois, with black hand-sewn stitch and two dome fasteners. A pair, \$1.25 Novelty Chamoisette Gloves, in all the newest fancy cuff effects in turn-back and short flare styles, beautifully embroidered in contrasting and harmonizing colors. Rich silk embroidered points in two-tone effects of beaver, grey, sand, sable, black. A wide selection at \$1.50

\$1.25 and

—Gloves, Main Floor

**Fascinating Winter Hats**

For All Occasions—Most Moderately Priced Assembled here you will find hats for every type, made from rich satins, velvet, panne or velvet and silk combined; in beautiful jewel-like colors, distinctively trimmed and most reasonably priced at \$5.00, \$7.95, \$8.95 and

\$10.00

Velour Hats in all colors and black, good shapes and large or small fitting. Splendid value at \$4.95 and

\$6.95

Felt Hats in fawn, oakwood, rust, Copenhagen blue, violet, grey and black. Priced from

\$2.50 to \$8.95

—Millinery, 1st Floor

**Women's Raincoats**

In Prevailing Styles
Smart Effects
Big Values

Practical Leatherette Coats, rain-proof; shown in belted style with two pockets and convertible collar; sizes 34 to 44. Each

\$6.90

Easy Fitting, Rainproof Coats, with full belt, Raglan sleeves. Very neat and practical for rainy weather; sizes 16 to 24. Each

\$9.90



Waterproof Oilskin Coats that will keep you dry in the wettest weather; very neat, fit well and shown in shades of red, green and wine. Sizes 16 to 20. Each

\$13.90

Showerproof Coats of excellent grade gabardine. Shown in plain tailored style, with cape and side gatherings; all sizes. Great value. Each

\$19.75

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

A Choice Showing of Men's Sweaters

For Today—All Excellent Values
English Golf and Sports Sweaters, all-wool pull-over styles, with V-shape neck, two pockets, straight bottom.

Runners, 18 by 45 inches, half a dozen place doilies, 12 x 18 inches. A set, \$6.75

Runners, 18 by 45 inches, half a dozen place doilies, 12 x 18 inches, and one-half dozen napkins, 15 x 15 inches. At a set

\$7.75

—Linen, Main Floor



Heavy Rib All-Wool Knitted Sports Sweaters, with shawl collar, tight bottom. Shown in plain colors, with contrast shades or breast stripes. Special to clear, each

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